Eschenbach Carl M. Form 4 November 26, 2012

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Eschenbach Carl M.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VMWARE, INC. [VMW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(enser an approach)		
3401 HILLVIE	EW AVE.		(Month/Day/Year) 11/21/2012	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) COO and Co-President		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
PALO ALTO, CA 94304			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	11/21/2012		M	2,083	A	\$ 30.8	0	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/21/2012		S	5,452	D	\$ 88.11 (1) (2)	113,584	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 30.8	11/21/2012		M	2,083	<u>(3)</u>	06/15/2015	Class A Common Stock	2,083

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Eschenbach Carl M. 3401 HILLVIEW AVE. PALO ALTO, CA 94304

COO and Co-President

Signatures

Larry Wainblat, attorney-in-fact 11/26/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Price represents weighted average for sales reported. The range of prices for the sales reported is \$88.09 through \$88.16.
- (2) The reporting person will provide upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) The option, representing a right to purchase 50,000 shares of Class A Common Stock, became exercisable as to 25% of the shares on June 1, 2010. Thereafter, the remaining 75% of the option vests in equal monthly installments over three years.

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