

WALKER GREGORY C
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WALKER GREGORY C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PDF SOLUTIONS INC [PDFS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
333 W. SAN CARLOS ST., SUITE 1000
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/03/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
CFO, VP Finance

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount (A) or (D) Price | | |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2012 | | M | | 3,750 A \$ 6.09 | 6,392 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2012 | | S | | 3,750 D \$ 14.56 | 2,642 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 12/03/2012 | | S | | 2,462 D \$ 14.59 | 0 | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 6.09 | 12/03/2012 | | M | 3,750 | (3) 11/15/2021 | Common Stock | 3,750 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WALKER GREGORY C 333 W. SAN CARLOS ST. SUITE 1000 SAN JOSE, CA 95110 | | | CFO, VP Finance | |

Signatures

/s/ Gregory Walker 12/04/2012

**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) Includes 2,642 shares of common stock that were previously purchased on July 31, 2012 under PDFS Employee Stock Purchase Program.
- (2) Average weighted sale price for shares disposed of in the reported transaction. The shares were sold in multiple brokers' transactions at various market prices per share ranging from \$14.52 to \$14.62.
- (3) These options were granted on November 16, 2011 and vests as follows: 12/48th of the total Option vested on November 16, 2012 and 1/48 of the total Option shall vest on the same day of each month thereafter for so long as the reporting person continues to be an employee of the Company.

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