TANCREDI MICHAEL A

Form 5

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Transactions

(Last)

Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TANCREDI MICHAEL A

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PORTA SYSTEMS CORP

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

[PYTM.OB]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended

(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2001

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner

X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr. VP, Sec. and Treasurer

C/O PORTA SYSTEMS CORP., Â 6851 JERICHO **TURNPIKE**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

SYOSSET, ÂNYÂ 11791

X Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	curitie	s Acqui	red, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi (A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of	5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned at end of Issuer's (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	01/30/2001	Â	P	4,631	A	\$ 0.41	0	D	Â
Common Stock (1)	04/16/2001	Â	P	8,064	A	\$ 0.28	39,238	D	Â

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 11 5 (
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 2	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	08/07/1996	08/07/2002	Common Stock	2,470	
Stock Option	\$ 1.5	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/08/1997	05/07/2007	Common Stock	42,530	
Stock Option	\$ 3.25	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	02/02/1998	02/01/2004	Common Stock	30,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
TANCREDI MICHAEL A C/O PORTA SYSTEMS CORP. 6851 JERICHO TURNPIKE SYOSSET, NY 11791	ÂX	Â	Sr. VP, Sec. and Treasurer	Â				

Signatures

/s/ Michael A.
Tancredi

**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) The shares are being purchased pursuant to the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Program. Payment for the shares is being made by payroll deductions for officers.
- (2) The options are granted pursuant to one of the Company's 16b-3 stock incentive plans, and are exercisable in installments.

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