#### SERLET BERTRAND

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SERLET BERTRAND			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLE COMPUTER INC [AAPL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
1 INFINITE LO	OOP MS 81	-2CL	(Month/Day/Year) 01/07/2005	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Senior Vice President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
CUPERTINO, CA 95014				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or		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)		
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	Code V $M_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 5,648	(D)	Price \$ 18.5	,	D	
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S <u>(1)</u>	5,648	D	\$ 67.62	2,708	D	
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M(1)	4,352	A	\$ 18.5	2,708	D	
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S(1)	4,352	D	\$ 67.62	2,708	D	
Common Stock	01/10/2005	01/10/2005	M(1)	10,000	A	\$ 18.5	2,708	D	

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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	•	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Secur Acqu or Di (D)	rities hired (A) sposed of : 3, 4,	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	Amount or Number of Share
Employee Stock Option	\$ 18.5	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M <u>(1)</u>		5,648	10/26/2001	10/26/2010	Common Stock	5,648
Employee Stock Option	\$ 18.5	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M <u>(1)</u>		4,352	10/26/2002	10/26/2010	Common Stock	4,352
Employee Stock Option	\$ 18.5	01/10/2005	01/10/2005	M <u>(1)</u>		10,000	10/26/2002	10/26/2010	Common Stock	10,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
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SERLET BERTRAND
1 INFINITE LOOP MS 81-2CL
CUPERTINO, CA 95014

Senior Vice President

### **Signatures**

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\*\*Signature of Date

\*\*Signature of Dark Reporting Person

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- \* 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 transactions reported in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on April 30, 2004.

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