**NVIDIA CORP** Form 4 June 24, 2008

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

A-200

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **GAITHER JAMES C** 

NVIDIA CORP [NVDA]

(First) (Middle) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Symbol

(Month/Day/Year) 06/20/2008

755 PAGE MILL ROAD, SUITE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

PALO ALTO, CA 943041005

(City)

(State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

5. Amount of

7. Nature of 6. Ownership Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(In	str. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)							(
					Code V	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Op	ock otion ight to iy)	\$ 19.76	06/20/2008		A	30,0	00	<u>(1)</u>	06/19/2014	Common	30,000	
Or	ock otion ight to	\$ 19.76	06/20/2008		A	10,0	00	(2)	06/19/2014	Common	10,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GAITHER JAMES C 755 PAGE MILL ROAD, SUITE A-200 X PALO ALTO, CA 943041005

# **Signatures**

By: Robert Yin, by power of attorney 06/24/2008

\*\*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).

Automatic grant in connection with service on the Board of Directors. The grant shall begin vesting on the second anniversary of the grant date and thereafter shall vest quarterly over one year, being fully vested in 2011, provided that the Reporting Person has attended at least 75% of the Board of Directors meetings in the two year period following the grant date. If the Reporting Person has not attended at

(1) least 75% of the Board of Directors meetings in the two year period following the grant date, the grant shall vest 30% on the third anniversary of the grant date, with the remaining 70% vesting on the fourth anniversary of the grant date. If the Reporting Person's service as a director terminates before the second anniversary of the grant date due to disability, the grant shall immediately vest and become exercisable on a quarterly pro rata basis. If the Reporting Person's service as a director terminates due to death, the grant shall immediately vest and become exercisable.

Automatic grant in connection with service on a Committee of the Board of Directors. The grant shall vest on the first anniversary of the grant date, provided that the Reporting Person has attended at least 75% of the Committee meetings in the year following the grant date. If the Reporting Person has attended fewer than 75% of the Committee meetings in the year following the grant date, the grant shall vest

(2) 10% per year for each of the first three years after the grant, with the remaining 70% vesting on the fourth anniversary of the grant date. If the Reporting Person's service as a director terminates before the first anniversary of the grant date due to disability, the grant shall immediately vest and become exercisable on a monthly pro rata basis. If the Reporting Person's service as a director terminates due to death, the grant shall immediately vest and become exercisable.

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