MITEK SYSTEMS INC

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FORM 4

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See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DEBELLO JAMES B**

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

MITEK SYSTEMS INC [MITK]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

05/02/2016

below)

8911 BALBOA AVENUE, SUITE B

(Middle)

(7:m)

President & CEO & Chairman 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Person

SAN DIEGO, CA 92123

(C:tr.)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of (` ′	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	05/02/2016		M	89,247	A	\$ 1.1	803,789	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2016		M	59,091	A	\$ 1.1	862,880	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2016		S	59,091 (1)	D	\$ 8.1108 (2)	803,789	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. 5. Number of Transactio Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.1	05/02/2016		M	89,247	07/10/2009	07/10/2016	Common Stock	89,247
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.1	05/02/2016		M	59,091	07/10/2009	07/10/2016	Common Stock	59,091

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DEBELLO JAMES B 8911 BALBOA AVENUE SUITE B SAN DIEGO, CA 92123

X

President & CEO & Chairman

Signatures

/s/ Shannon Catalano, by Power of Attorney 05/04/2016

**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).

Mr. DeBello purchased and holds 89,247 shares pursuant to exercising a 2006 option grant. In addition Mr. DeBello exercised and sold 59,091 shares to cover taxes and associated costs pursuant to a 2006 option grant due to expire this year. The sales of common stock

(1) reported in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 16, 2016 (the "Trading Plan"). Pursuant to the Trading Plan, Mr. DeBello, may sell, on a periodic basis, vested stock options that would otherwise expire on July 10, 2016.

Reporting Owners 2

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The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$7.92 - \$8.2950, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Mitek Systems, Inc., any security holder of Mitek Systems, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote 2.

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