FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KNIGHT EDWARD S (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE LIBERTY PLAZA				- N	Suer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC [NDAQ] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/17/2006] (Che	S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Executive Vice President				wner	
(Street) NEW YO	W YORK NY 10006				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line)	idividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date				sactio			3. e, Ti	quired, Disposed of, or Benefi 3.			(A) or	5. Amour	s	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial				
(Month			праул				Code (Instr.		5) Amount	(A (D	or	Price	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(I) (Instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 08/17/				L7/20	/2006			M		15,000		A	\$13	47,505		D				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 08/17.			L7/20	/2006		9	S ⁽¹⁾		15,000 D		D	\$30	32,505(2)			D				
		(e.g., puts, cal		5. Number of E Orivative Securities Acquired (A) or		6. Dat	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				mount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)				
							Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)						Re Tra (In		on(s)					
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Ex Da	piration ate	Title	or Nu	mount ımber Shares					
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$13	08/17/2006			M			15,000	((3)	02	/14/2011	Commo Stock	n 1	5,000	\$0	40,70	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$7.35								((4)	11	/15/2014	Commo Stock	n 15	50,000		150,00	00	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$9.15								((5)	02	/18/2014	Commo Stock	n 7	5,000		75,00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on July 28, 2006.
- 2. Represents (i) 10,555 shares of Common Stock acquired upon exercise of vested stock options (ii) 10,198 shares of vested restricted stock granted under The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. Equity Incentive Plan, and (iii) an additional 11,752 shares of Common Stock purchased pursuant to The Nasdaq Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- 3. Options vested as to 100%.
- 4. Options exercisable as to 50% on January $15,\,2008$ and as to 50% on January $15,\,2009.$
- 5. Options exercisable as to 100% on February 18, 2007.

<u>/s/ Edward S. Knight</u> <u>08/21/2006</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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