## SEC Form 4

## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addre | 1 0       |                 | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>MITEK SYSTEMS INC</u> [ MITK ] | tionship of Reporting<br>all applicable) | eporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>e) |          |                    |          |
| THORNTON          |           |                 | t ,   | X  | Director                           | Х        | 10% O              | wner     |
| (Last)            | (First)   | (Middle)        | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>12/04/2007                          |  | Officer (give title below)         |          | Other (:<br>below) |          |
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|                   |           |                 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                | 6. Indiv<br>Line)                        | /idual or Joint/Group              | Filing ( | Check Ap           | plicable |
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|                   |           | Table I - Non-D | erivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi                                   | cially                                   | Owned                              |          |                    |          |
|                   |           |                 |   |  | 1                                  |          |                    |          |

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) | ction | 4. Securities /<br>Disposed Of (<br>5) |               |       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|-------|--|---------------|-------|---|---|---|--|
|                                 |  |   | Code                         | v     | Amount                                 | (A) or<br>(D) | Price | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (1130.4)  |  |

## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)       | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of     |     | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)    | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |
| Stock<br>Options <sup>(1)</sup>                           | \$0.39  | 12/04/2007                                 |   | A                            |   | 50,000 |     | 12/04/2007   | 12/03/2010         | Common<br>Stock   | 50,000                                 | \$0   | 165,000  | D  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Options vest fully at grant date.

/s/ John M. Thornton

12/06/2007

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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