

FREDRICKSON ROBERT A
Form 4
November 24, 2009

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FREDRICKSON ROBERT A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ADTRAN, 901 EXPLORER
BLVD

(Street)

HUNTSVILLE, AL 35806-2807

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ADTRAN INC [ADTN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/07/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			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 Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)								
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title			
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.46	11/07/2009	A		5,568		11/07/2010 ⁽¹⁾	11/07/2019	Common Stock		5	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.46	11/07/2009	A		9,432		11/07/2010 ⁽¹⁾	11/07/2019	Common Stock		9	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.46	11/07/2009	A		800		11/07/2010 ⁽¹⁾	11/07/2019	Common Stock			

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FREDRICKSON ROBERT A C/O ADTRAN 901 EXPLORER BLVD HUNTSVILLE, AL 35806-2807			Vice President	

Signatures

Cathy Bartels For: Robert A.
Fredrickson

11/24/2009

____Signature of Reporting Person

____Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary date of the grant as shown in column 6.

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