#### CITRIX SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

August 31, 2015

## FORM 4

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ELLIOTT ASSOCIATES, L.P. Issuer Symbol CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner \_\_X\_\_ Other (specify Officer (give title 40 WEST 57TH STREET, 30TH 08/28/2015 below) below) **FLOOR** See Explanation of Responses (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10019 Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount Price Common Stock. 13,926 A 08/28/2015 P 1,996,086 D \$.001 par

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities 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)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Notional Principal Amount Derivative Agreement	<u>(2)</u>	08/28/2015		J/K	1	<u>(2)</u>	06/01/2016	Common Stock, Par Value \$.001	1,659	68.
Notional Principal Amount Derivative Agreement	<u>(2)</u>	08/28/2015		J/K	1	(2)	03/30/2016	Common Stock, Par Value \$.001	361	\$ 6

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ELLIOTT ASSOCIATES, L.P. 40 WEST 57TH STREET, 30TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019

See Explanation of Responses

## **Signatures**

/s/ Elliot Greenberg, Vice President of Braxton Associates, Inc., as General Partner of Elliott Capital Advisors, L.P., as General Partner, of Elliott Associates, L.P.

08/31/2015

\*\*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).
- (1) This Form 4 is filed by Elliott Associates, L.P. (the "Reporting Person"). For purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Reporting Person may be deemed to be a director by deputization due to an employee of the management company

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of the Reporting Person serving as a member of the board of directors of the Issuer. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

Notional principal amount derivative agreement (the "Derivative Agreement") in the form of cash settled swaps entered into by the Reporting Person. The Derivative Agreement provides the Reporting Person with economic results that are comparable to the economic results of ownership payable on each settlement date applicable to the expiration or earlier termination of such Derivative Agreement, but do not provide it with the power to vote or direct the voting or dispose of or direct the disposition of the shares of Common Stock that are the subject of the Derivative Agreements (such shares, the "Subject Shares"). The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership in the Subject Shares. The counterparties to the Derivative Agreements are unaffiliated third party financial institutions.

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