MENTOR CORP /MN/

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Name and Address of Reporting Person Northup Edward Stanton II	Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
	MENTOR CORP /MN/ [MNT]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner				
201 MENTOR DRIVE	05/30/2008	Officer (give title Other (specification) below)				
		Chief Operating Officer				
(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				
SANTA BARBARA, CA 93111		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Transaction(A) or Disp Code (Instr. 3, 4 a (Instr. 8)		ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/30/2008		S	500	D	\$ 30.14	30,358	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2008		S	1,000	D	\$ 30.15	29,358	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2008		S	200	D	\$ 30.16	29,158	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2008		S	500	D	\$ 30.17	28,658	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2008		S	200	D	\$ 30.18	28,458	D	

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Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	200	D	\$ 30.19	28,258	D
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	100	D	\$ 30.21	28,158	D
Common Stock	05/30/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 30.24	26,858	D

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S	ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Northup Edward Stanton II 201 MENTOR DRIVE SANTA BARBARA, CA 93111

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/S/Edward S. 06/03/2008 Northup

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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