FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  FRANKENFIELD MICHAEL D					<u>FA</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [ FDS ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) 601 MEI	st) (First) (Middle)  MERRITT 7					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/07/2008									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Senior Vice President				
(Street) NORWALK CT				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Pe	rson				
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**Explanation of Responses:** 

Michael D. Frankenfield

01/07/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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