Yu Albert YC Form 4

#### December 17, 2009 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if no longer STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to **SECURITIES** Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Yu Albert Y	YC	Symbol	Symbol PDF SOLUTIONS INC [PDFS]				Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (Mic	ddle) 3. Date of H	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check an applicable)				
(Mor			(Month/Day/Year)					Owner		
	SAN CARLOS	12/16/200	12/16/2009			Officer (give below)	title Othe below)	r (specify		
ST., SUITE	2700									
	4. If Amend	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
Filed			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SAN JOSE	, CA 95110						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Z	ip) Table	I - Non-Der	ivative Sec	urities Ac	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	4. Securition(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	•	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)		
Common Stock	12/16/2009(1)(2)(3)		A	11,250	A (2)	25,986 (4)	D			

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of tiorDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
2001 Stock Plan Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.4	12/16/2009(1)		D		22,500	(5)	05/21/2018	Common Stock	22,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Yu Albert YC 333 WEST SAN CARLOS ST. SUITE 700 SAN JOSE, CA 95110	X					

## **Signatures**

/s/ Joy E. Leo, Attorney-in-Fact for Albert Y.C. Yu 12/17/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- All transactions on this Form 4 report occurred immediately following the close of PDF Solutions, Inc.'s ("PDFS") offer to exchange (1) described in Schedule TO-1 filed on November 17, 2009, as amended (the "Exchange Offer"). The close of the Exchange Offer occurred at 12 a.m. EST on December 16, 2009 (the "Transaction Date").
- Pursuant to the Exchange Offer, on the Transaction Date, PDFS cancelled an option granted to the reporting person on May 22, 2008. In exchange for the cancelled option, the reporting person received 11,250 RSRs which will vest as to 25% on March 15, 2010, 25% on September 15, 2010, 25% on March 15, 2011 and 25% on September 15, 2011, subject to the reporting person's continued service with PDFS, or an affiliate thereof, through each vesting date.
- (3) Each RSR represents a bookkeeping entry equal in value to 1 share of PDFS common stock that will be automatically settled in shares upon vesting of the RSR.
- This amount includes 23,541 RSRs, each of which represents a bookkeeping entry equal in value to 1 share of PDFS common stock that will be automatically settled in shares upon vesting of the RSR. This amount also includes 2,445 shares of outstanding PDFS common stock.
- (5) The cancelled option provided for vesting as follows: 12/48ths of the total shares subject to the option vested on May 22, 2009 and 1/48th of the total shares vested on the 22nd day of each month thereafter, subject to the reporting person's continued service with PDFS, or an

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affiliate thereof, through each vesting date and subject to accelerated vesting in certain circumstances.

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