ADAPTEC INC Form 4 June 23, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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

1(b).

(Last)

FLOOR,

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STEEL PARTNERS II LP

(First)

(Street)

590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ADAPTEC INC [ADPT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

06/19/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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_X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

Director

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

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securit	ies Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired ansaction(A) or Disposed of de (D)		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)	
Common Stock, \$.001 Par Value	06/19/2008		Code V $P_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 8,100	(D)	Price \$ 3.2	20,137,229	D (2) (3)	
Common Stock, \$.001 Par Value	06/19/2008		P(1)	50,000	A	\$ 3.2	20,187,229	D (2) (3)	
Common Stock, \$.001 Par Value	06/20/2008		P(1)	100	A	\$ 3.2	20,187,329	D (2) (3)	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
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						Date Expiration Exercisable Date	Expiration		or Name la sur	
								Number		
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STEEL PARTNERS II LP 590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					
Steel Partners LLC C/O STEEL PARTNERS II, L.P. 590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					
LICHTENSTEIN WARREN G C/O STEEL PARTNERS II, L.P. 590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					
STEEL PARTNERS II GP LLC C/O STEEL PARTNERS II, L.P. 590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					
Steel Partners II Master Fund L.P. MORGAN STANLEY FUND SERVICES LTD CRICKET SQ FL2 BOUNDARY HALL HUTCHINS DR BOX 2681 GRAND CAYMAN KY1-1111		X					

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Signatures

By: Steel Partners II, L.P., By: Steel Partners II GP LLC, General Partner, By: /s/ Jack L. Howard, as Attorney in Fact for Warren G. Lichtenstein, Managing Member	06/23/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Steel Partners LLC, By: /s/ Jack L. Howard, as Attorney In Fact for Warren G. Lichtenstein, Manager	06/23/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: By: /s/ Jack L. Howard, as Attorney in Fact for Warren G. Lichtenstein	06/23/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Steel Partners II GP LLC, By: /s/ Jack L. Howard, as Attorney In Fact for Warren G. Lichtenstein, Managing Member	06/23/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Steel Partners II Master Fund L.P., By: Steel Partners II GP LLC, General Partner, By: /s/ Jack L. Howard, as Attorney In Fact for Warren G. Lichtenstein, Managing Member	06/23/2008

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- * 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).

**Signature of Reporting Person

- (1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Purchase Trading Plan Agreement adopted by Steel Partners II, L.P.
- This Form 4 is filed jointly by Steel Partners II, L.P. ("Steel Partners II"), Steel Partners II GP LLC ("Steel GP LLC"), Steel Partners II

 (2) Master Fund L.P. ("Steel Master"), Steel Partners LLC ("Partners LLC") and Warren G. Lichtenstein. Steel GP LLC, Steel Master, Partners LLC and Mr. Lichtenstein may be deemed to be 10% owners of the Issuer and Steel Partners II is a 10% owner of the Issuer.
 - The securities reported in this Form 4 are owned directly by Steel Partners II, and owned indirectly by Steel GP LLC by virtue of it being the general partner of Steel Partners II and Steel Master, by Steel Master by virtue of it being the sole limited partner of Steel Partners II, by Partners LLC by virtue of it being the investment manager of Steel Partners II and Steel Master and by Mr. Lichtenstein by virtue of

Date

his position as the manager of Partners LLC and the managing member of Steel GP LLC. Steel Master, Partners LLC and Mr. Lichtenstein disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares owned by Steel Partners II except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

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