FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Blair Nancy E	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 09/07/2005 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS]									
(Last) (First) (Middle) BLAIR & POTTS			4. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director X	n(s) to Issue	(Mor	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				
P.O. BOX 1214			Officer (give title below)	Other (spe below)		dividual or Joint icable Line)	/Group Filing (Check			
(Street) STAMFORD CT 06904-1214					X		y One Reporting Person y More than One erson			
(City) (State) (Zip)										
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Factset Common Stock			3,900,555(1)	I I		Executor of Estate				
Factset Common Stock		1,500,000(2)	I	I .	Executor of Estate holding beneficial interest					
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/N		ate	3. Title and Amount of Securit Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				
Factset Common Stock Options	12/22/2005	12/22/2014	Factset Common Stock	22,500	0	I	Executor of Estate			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On Sep. 27, 2005 the estate sold 1,800,000 shares of Factset common stock through a Rule 144 transaction.
- 2. The estate is the non-managing member of Wille Family Investments LLC, which owns 1,500,000 shares of Factset common stock. Brian C. Wille is the manager of Wille Family Investments LLC.

Remarks

This Form 3 is also filed on behalf of the Estate of Howard E. Wille, P.O. Box 1214, Stamford, CT 06904-1214 and the co-executor of the estate Brian C. Wille, 1088 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10128.

 /s/ Nancy E. Blair
 09/29/2005

 /s/ Brian C. Wille
 09/29/2005

 /s/ Nancy E. Blair, for the Estate
 09/29/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

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