

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

## FORM 4

Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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### SUBJECT COMPANY

#### **DELL COMPUTER CORP**

CIK: **826083** | IRS No.: **742487834** | State of Incorpor.: **DE** | Fiscal Year End: **0129**  
Type: **4** | Act: **34** | File No.: **000-17017** | Film No.: **99708863**  
SIC: **3571** Electronic computers

Mailing Address  
*ONE DELL WAY  
ROUND ROCK TX 78682*

Business Address  
*ONE DELL WAY  
STED  
ROUND ROCK TX 78682-2244  
5123384400*

### REPORTING OWNER

#### **PARRA ROSENDO G**

CIK: **1077824**  
Type: **4**

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*C/O DELL COMPUTER CORP  
ONE DELL WAY  
ROUND ROCK TX 78682-2244*

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5127284737*

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

( ) Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.  
 Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person  
 Rosendo G. Parra  
 One Dell Way  
 TX, Round Rock 78682-2244
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Dell Computer Corporation (DELL)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year  
 8/1999
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  
 ( ) Director ( ) 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) ( ) Other  
 (specify below)  
 Senior Vice President, Americas Public and International Group
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 ( ) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Transaction Date	3. Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	6. Director (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	8/20/1999	F	13477	\$43.3438	D	
Common Stock				17826	I	Employer 401(k) Plan

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Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date	4. Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	10. Director (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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Explanation of Responses:

1. 177,743 non-restricted shares and 410,880 restricted shares to vest according to the following schedule: 91,520 shares on 1/1 from 2000 thru 2001 and 90,880 shares on 1/1/02 and 45,760 shares on 7/24 from 2000 thru 2001 and 45,440 shares on 7/24/02.