FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MENDELSOHN H JAKE						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST ADVANTAGE CORP [ FADV ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner				
WENDELSORIN R JAKE													give title	10% Ow Other (s	· I		
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2003							ice President	below)			
ONE PROGRESS PLAZA, SUITE 2400					12/03/2003							•	ice i resident	a cio			
(Street)						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
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(City) (State) (Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Executio Day/Year) if any		Date,	Code (Inst	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	s Forr	n: Direct   I or Indirect   I	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				ľ		(Month/Day/Year)		8)				Reported			(Instr. 4)		
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s) nd 4)				
			Table II - Dei									Owned					
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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. Transa Code (		5. Number of Derivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
											Amount		(Instr. 4)				
				Code	de V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares						
Security Option Right to Buy	\$12.5	12/05/2003		М		\$125,000		03/12/2001	03/12/2011	Class A Common Stock	10,000	\$0	10,000	D			

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

<u>By: Sharlyn Nudelman, Power of Attorney</u>

12/09/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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