SPLUNK INC Form 4 September 12, 2013

FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SULLIVAN GODFREY			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SPLUNK INC [SPLK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check air applicable)		
C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 BRANNAN STREET)	(Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2013	_X Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, CEO & Chairman		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN FRAN	CISCO, CA	94107	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	or Beneficiall	y Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	09/11/2013		M	10,000	A	\$ 0.565	179,190	D	
Common Stock	09/11/2013		S(1)	6,200	D	\$ 60.6712 (2)	172,990	D	
Common Stock	09/11/2013		S <u>(1)</u>	3,800	D	\$ 61.2505 (3)	169,190	D	
Common Stock							2,256,350	I	See footnote

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Common Stock	20,000	I	See footnote (5)
Common Stock	20,000	I	See footnote (6)
Common Stock	700	I	See footnote (7)

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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.565	09/11/2013		M	10,000	<u>(8)</u>	09/16/2018	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SULLIVAN GODFREY							
C/O SPLUNK INC.	X		President CEO & Chairman				
250 BRANNAN STREET	Λ		President, CEO & Chairman				
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107							

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Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

09/12/2013

**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).
- (1) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on September 20, 2012.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$59.99 to \$60.98, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (2) and (3) to this Form 4.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$61.01 to \$61.66, inclusive.
- (4) Shares held directly by the Godfrey and Suzanne Sullivan Revocable Trust dated December 5, 2000 for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.
- (5) Shares held directly by the Reporting Person as custodian for his elder daughter.
- (6) Shares held directly by the Reporting Person as custodian for his younger daughter.
- Shares held directly by the Reporting Person's daughter. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (8) The option is fully vested and immediately exercisable.

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