SULLIVAN GODFREY

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **SULLIVAN GODFREY**

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

SPLUNK INC [SPLK] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O SPLUNK INC., 270

(Month/Day/Year)

10/09/2017

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

BRANNAN STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 10/09/2017 | | Code V M | Amount 25,000 | (D) A | Price \$ 0.565 | (Instr. 3 and 4) 645,790 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 10/09/2017 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 35,865 | D | \$ 65.72 (2) | 609,925 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 10/09/2017 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 4,135 | D | \$ 66.64 (3) | 605,790 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 10/10/2017 | | M | 25,000 | A | \$ 0.565 | 630,790 | D | | |
| | 10/10/2017 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 17,246 | D | | 613,544 | D | | |

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| Common Stock | | | | | \$ 63.68 (4) | | | |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|--------|---|--------------------|---------|---|------------------|
| Common Stock | 10/10/2017 | S <u>(1)</u> | 17,752 | D | \$ 64.79 (5) | 595,792 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/10/2017 | S(1) | 5,002 | D | \$ 65.49 (6) | 590,790 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/11/2017 | M | 25,000 | A | \$ 0.565 | 615,790 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/11/2017 | S <u>(1)</u> | 40,000 | D | \$ 63.53 (7) | 575,790 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 100,000 | I | See footnote (8) |

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

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

| 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day, | ate | 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 | 10/09/2017 | | M | 25,000 | (9) | 09/16/2018 | Common Stock | 25,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to | \$ 0.565 | 10/10/2017 | | M | 25,000 | (9) | 09/16/2018 | Common Stock | 25,000 |

buy)

Employee

Stock

Option \$ 0.565 10/11/2017 M 25,000 (9) 09/16/2018 Common Stock 25,000

buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SULLIVAN GODFREY C/O SPLUNK INC. 270 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

10/11/2017 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- ** 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 February 27, 2017
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$65.46 to \$66.44, 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) through (7) 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 \$66.46 to \$67.14, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$63.22 to \$64.21, inclusive.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$64.22 to \$65.21, inclusive.
- (6) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$65.22 to \$65.84, inclusive.
- (7) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$63.28 to \$64.25, inclusive.
- (8) Shares held directly by the Godfrey and Suzanne Sullivan Revocable Trust dated December 5, 2000 for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.
- (9) The option is fully vested and immediately exercisable.

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