

Puckett A. Lynne
Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Puckett A. Lynne

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Colfax CORP [CFX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
SVP, GC & Secretary

(Last) (First) (Middle)
420 NATIONAL BUSINESS PARKWAY, 5TH FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/16/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ANNAPOLIS JUNCTION, MD 20701

(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.001 | 01/16/2018 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 7,270 A \$ 35.6 ₍₁₎ | 37,295 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.001 | 01/16/2018 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 7,270 D \$ 42.01 | 30,025 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.001 | | | | | 1,111 | I | By spouse |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 35.6 | 01/16/2018 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 7,270 | ⁽²⁾ 02/22/2019 | Common Stock, par value \$.001 | 7,270 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Puckett A. Lynne 420 NATIONAL BUSINESS PARKWAY 5TH FLOOR ANNAPOLIS JUNCTION, MD 20701 | | | SVP, GC & Secretary | |

Signatures

/s/ A. Lynne
Puckett

01/18/2018

**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).

- The exercise and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan (the "10b5-1 Plan") adopted by the
- (1) reporting person on November 10, 2017. The 10b5-1 Plan provides for the exercise of this option tranche, which expires in February 2019.
 - (2) The option vested in three equal annual installments beginning on February 22, 2013.

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