SPLUNK INC Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **SULLIVAN GODFREY** Issuer Symbol SPLUNK INC [SPLK] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 12/04/2013 below) **BRANNAN STREET** President, CEO & Chairman (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative (Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly 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)			Beneficially For Owned (D) Following Ind	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/04/2013		M	10,000	A	\$ 0.565	574,790 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/04/2013		S(2)	4,800	D	\$ 69.05 (3)	569,990	D	
Common Stock	12/04/2013		S(2)	5,200	D	\$ 69.65 (4)	564,790	D	
Common Stock							1,856,350 (5)	I	See footnote (6)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.565	12/04/2013		M	10,000	(8)	09/16/2018	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Troporting O Whor I want / I want out	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SULLIVAN GODFREY C/O SPLUNK INC. 250 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107	X		President, CEO & Chairman				

Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney 12/06/2013

**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).

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- Includes 400,000 shares previously held directly by the Godfrey and Suzanne Sullivan Revocable Trust dated December 5, 2000 for (1) which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee (the "Trust") which were re-registered on November 25, 2013 and are now held directly by the Reporting Person.
- (2) 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 \$68.40 to \$69.38, 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 (3) and (4) to this Form 4.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$69.44 to \$70.28, inclusive.
- (5) Excludes 400,000 shares previously held directly by the Trust which were re-registered on November 25, 2013 and are now held directly by the Reporting Person.
- (6) Shares held directly by the Trust.
- Shares held directly by the Reporting Person's younger 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
- (7) 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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