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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)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approacte)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 BRANNAN STREET			03/09/2015	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				President, CEO & Chairman		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
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(City)	(State)	^(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	saction Date 2A. Deemed //Day/Year) 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 Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/09/2015		A	50,000 (1)	A	\$0	746,048 (2)	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2015		M	16,666	A	\$ 0.565	762,714	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2015		S(3)	32,932	D	\$ 61.78 (4)	729,782	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2015		S(3)	400	D	\$ 62.5 (5)	729,382	D	
Common	03/10/2015		M	16,666	A	\$	746,048	D	

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Common Stock	03/10/2015	S(3)	16,166	D	\$ 60.65 (6)	729,882	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2015	S(3)	500	D	\$ 61.25 <u>(7)</u>	729,382	D	
Common Stock	03/11/2015	M	16,668	A	\$ 0.565	746,050	D	
Common Stock	03/11/2015	S(3)	14,368	D	\$ 60.96 (8)	731,682	D	
Common Stock	03/11/2015	S(3)	2,300	D	\$ 61.62 (9)	729,382	D	
Common Stock						1,100,000 (10)	I	See footnote (11)
Common Stock						12,700	I	See footnote (12)

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)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration E (Month/Day	Date	7. Title and Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.565	03/09/2015		M	16,666	(13)	09/16/2018	Common Stock	16,666
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Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.565	03/11/2015	M	16,668	<u>(13)</u>	09/16/2018	Common Stock	16,668

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SULLIVAN GODFREY

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

President, CEO & Chairman

Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

03/11/2015

**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 reported securities are represented by restricted stock units ("RSUs"). Twenty-five percent of the RSUs vest on March 10, 2016 and 1/16th of the RSUs shall vest quarterly thereafter.
- Includes 500,000 shares previously held directly by the Godfrey and Suzanne Sullivan Revocable Trust dated December 5, 2000 for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee (the "Trust") which were re-registered on February 24, 2015 and are now held directly by the Reporting Person.
- (3) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 23, 2014.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$61.37 to \$62.34, 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 (4) through (9) to this Form 4.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$62.39 to \$62.53, inclusive.
- (6) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$60.20 to \$61.14, inclusive.
- (7) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$61.20 to \$61.39, inclusive.
- (8) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$60.39 to \$61.38, inclusive.

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- (9) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$61.39 to \$62.02, inclusive.
- (10) Excludes 500,000 shares previously held directly by the Trust which were re-registered on February 24, 2015 and are now held directly by the Reporting Person.
- (11) 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,
- (12) 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.
- (13) The option is fully vested and immediately exercisable.

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