GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **SMITH SARAH G**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC [GS]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS &

(First)

CO., 200 WEST STREET

Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below)

01/24-05:00/2017

Principal Accounting Officer

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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NEW YORK, NY 10282

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(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	ble I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquire			ed, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or)	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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	01/24-05:00/2017		M	32,039	AΩ	<u>(1)</u>	45,114	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	01/24-05:00/2017		F(2)	17,133	D \$ (2) 2	\$ 232.67	27,981	D	
							27,212	I	

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Common	See
Stock, par	footnote
value	<u>(3)</u>
\$0.01 per	

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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
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/24-05:00/2017		M	32,039	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	32,039

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SMITH SARAH G C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282

Principal Accounting Officer

Signatures

share

/s/ Beverly L. O'Toole, 01/26-05:00/2017 Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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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).
- On January 24, 2017, shares of the Issuer's common stock underlying Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") that were awarded in connection with compensation for years prior to 2016 were delivered to the Reporting Person without the payment of any consideration. These shares are not related to 2016 compensation.
- (2) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy withholding obligations in connection with the delivery of the common stock underlying the RSUs described in footnote 1 above.
- (3) Held through a trust, the sole trustee of which is the Reporting Person's spouse and the sole beneficiaries of which are immediate family members of the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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