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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of CONTE DAVID F		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SPLUNK INC [SPLK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (Fi	rst) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 BRANNAN STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2016	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP & Chief Financial Officer			
(Str	reet)	4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Gro				
SAN FRANCISCO	D, CA 94107	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 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)
Common Stock	08/11/2016		S <u>(1)</u>	7,389	D	\$ 63.82 (2)	163,591 (3)	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2016		S <u>(1)</u>	3,186	D	\$ 64 (4)	160,405	D	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

CONTE DAVID F C/O SPLUNK INC. 250 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

SVP & Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

08/15/2016 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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 sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 29, (1)
 - The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$63.82 to \$63.89, 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) and (4) to this Form 4.
- (3) Includes 465 shares acquired under the Splunk Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 15, 2016.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$63.82 to \$64.34, inclusive.

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