PEGASYSTEMS INC

Form 4

September 14, 2016

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **KOUNINIS EFSTATHIOS A** Issuer Symbol PEGASYSTEMS INC [PEGA] (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

C/O PEGASYSTEMS INC., 1 ROGERS STREET

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner __Other (specify X_ Officer (give title)

(Check all applicable)

09/12/2016

VP of Finance & CAO

(Street)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/14/2016		M	58 (1)	A	\$ 0	58	D	
Common Stock	09/14/2016		F	19	D	\$ 26.92	39	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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	ransactionDerivative ode Securities		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 (2)	\$ 0	09/14/2016		M		58 (1)	12/14/2012	(3)	Common Stock	1,164
Stock Options	\$ 27.24	09/12/2016		A	6,274 (4)		09/12/2017	09/12/2026	Common Stock	6,274
Restricted Stock Units (2)	\$ 0	09/12/2016		A	1,856 (5)		09/12/2017	(3)	Common Stock	1,856

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KOUNINIS EFSTATHIOS A C/O PEGASYSTEMS INC. 1 ROGERS STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

VP of Finance & CAO

Signatures

/s/ Janet Mesrobian, Esq., Attorney-In-Fact for Efstathios Kouninis

09/14/2016

**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) Represents 5% vesting on September 14, 2016. The original grant was 1164 restricted stock units, with 20% vesting on December 14, 2012, and the remaining 80% vesting in equal quarterly installments over the remaining 4 years.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, following vesting, one share of Pegasystems Inc.'s common stock.
- (3) Once vested, the shares of common stock are not subject to expiration.
- (4) All options vest 20% on September 12, 2017, and the remaining 80% vest in equal quarterly installments over the remaining four years.
- (5) All RSUs vest 20% on September 12, 2017, and the remaining 80% vest in equal quarterly installments over the remaining four years.

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