Hale Mark J.
Form 4
January 24, 2018

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Hale Mark J.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

601 MERRITT 7

(Street)

NORWALK, CT 06851

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/22/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		3,551	A	$ 152.28	6,268	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		12,035	A	$ 92.22	18,303	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		3,945	A	$ 92.22	22,248	D	
FactSet Common	01/22/2018		M		8,070	A	$ 131.31	30,318	D	

Stock										
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		5,100	A	$ 175.2	35,418	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		15,300	A	$ 175.2	50,718	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		S		12,305	D	$ 199.6	38,413	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/23/2018		S		35,696	D	$ 198.02	2,717	D	

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative 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
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 152.28	01/22/2018		M			3,551	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	3,551
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 92.22	01/22/2018		M			12,035	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	12,035
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 92.22	01/22/2018		M			3,945	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	3,945
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 131.31	01/22/2018		M			8,070	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	8,070

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 175.2	01/22/2018	M	5,100	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	5,100
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 175.2	01/22/2018	M	15,300	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	15,300

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hale Mark J. 601 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851			Chief Operating Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Mark J. Hale	01/24/2018
**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) On November 14, 2017, FactSet Research Systems Inc. ("FactSet" or the "Company") announced that Mark J. Hale would separate from his position as Executive Vice President, Chief Operating Officer. The separation was effective on December 31, 2017. Under the terms of the separation of employment and general release agreement with Mark J. Hale (the "Agreement"), Mr. Hale received the acceleration of the vesting of certain outstanding stock options, with the expiration date subject to the standard terms of the Company's option agreement.

(2) Column 8 has been intentionally left blank as the transaction was an exercise of a derivative security.

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