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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION								OMMISSION	OMB APPROVAL		
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(Print or Type	Responses)										
			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date				Transaction	n		(Check all applicable)			
	E MAE, INC., 442 DD DRIVE, SUIT		(Month/I 02/15/2	-)			Director X Officer (give t below) EV		Owner er (specify	
	(Street)		4. If Ame Filed(Mo		Date Origin ear)	nal		6. Individual or Joi Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O	ne Reporting Pe	rson	
PLEASAN	TON, CA 94588							Form filed by Mo Person	ore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Nor	n-Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqu	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		any			4. Secur tionor Dispo (Instr. 3.)	osed of , 4 and (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	02/15/2018(1)			F	427	D	\$ 89.76	11,056	D		
Common Stock	02/16/2018 <u>(2)</u>			S	400	D	\$ 89.7225 (<u>3)</u>	10,656	D		
Common Stock	02/16/2018(2)			S	229	D	\$ 90.8361 (4)	10,427	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)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	Date	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LaVay Matthew C/O ELLIE MAE, INC. 4420 ROSEWOOD DRIVE, SUITE 500 PLEASANTON, CA 94588			EVP and CFO			
Signatures						

/s/ Matthew 02/20/2018 LaVay

**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).
- Represents shares of common stock withheld by the Issuer in payment of the withholding tax liability incurred upon the vesting of (1) restricted stock units. The amount of shares withheld is based on the closing price of ELLI on February 15, 2018.

(2) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to the reporting person's Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

The price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$89.3600 to \$90.1900,

- inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Ellie Mae, Inc., any security holder of Ellie Mae, Inc., or the staff of the (3) Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this Form 4.
- (4) The price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$90.8300 to \$90.8500, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Ellie Mae, Inc., any security holder of Ellie Mae, Inc., 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

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