Engelhardt Tracey G Form 4 April 03, 2019

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Engelhardt Tracey G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

DELUXE CORP [DLX]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

3680 VICTORIA STREET N

04/01/2019

below) below)

SVP, Direct-to-Consumer

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SHOREVIEW, MN 55126

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following

5. Amount of

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(A) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

 $12,208.59 \frac{(1)}{2}$

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)

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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)	Code		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 Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code \	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (2)							(2)	01/19/2020	Common Stock	71:
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)							(3)	01/22/2021	Common Stock	1,84
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (4)	04/01/2019		A		1,846		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,84
Common Stock Option	\$ 38.8							02/20/2014(5)	02/20/2020	Common Stock	6,80
Common Stock Option	\$ 50.32							02/27/2015(5)	02/27/2021	Common Stock	3,86
Common Stock Option	\$ 67.08							02/12/2016(5)	02/12/2022	Common Stock	3,20
Common Stock Option	\$ 54.3							02/17/2017(5)	02/17/2023	Common Stock	6,36
Common Stock Option	\$ 75.61							02/23/2018(5)	02/23/2024	Common Stock	3,88
Common Stock Option	\$ 73.21							02/21/2019(5)	02/21/2025	Common Stock	4,79
Common Stock Option	\$ 44.69	04/01/2019		A		10,684		04/01/2020(6)	04/01/2029	Common Stock	10,6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Engelhardt Tracey G 3680 VICTORIA STREET N SHOREVIEW, MN 55126

SVP, Direct-to-Consumer

Signatures

Jeffrey L. Cotter as Power of Attorney for Tracey G. Engelhardt

04/03/2019

**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) Total ownership includes 948 shares of restricted stock.
- Restricted Stock Units were awarded on 1/19/18 under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan. The units will vest and be converted into common stock on the second anniversary of the date of grant if, subject to certain exceptions, the holder remains in the employ of the Company through such date. Award results from an advance election by executive to receive a portion of their 2017 annual incentive compensation in restricted stock units in lieu of cash.
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- Restricted Stock Units awarded on 4/1/19 under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan, subject to the following vesting schedule:

 1,119 units will vest in four equal amounts on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant, and 727 units will vest in three equal amounts on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of grant. Upon vesting, each unit is converted into a share of common stock. Subject to certain exceptions, vesting is contingent upon continued employment.
- Options vest in three equal installments on the three succeeding anniversary dates of the date of grant, provided the holder remains in the employ of the Company. Date entered reflects date on which first installment vests(ed).
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