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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

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)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
3680 VICTORIA STREET N			01/22/2019	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specifical below)			
				SVP, Direct-to-Consumer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
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SHOREVIEW MN 55126				Form filed by More than One Reporting			

SHOREVIEW, MN 55126

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acqu Transaction(A) or Disposed o Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/22/2019		A	673	A	\$ 0 (1)	12,862.59	D	
Common Stock	01/22/2019		F	319	D	\$ 43.28	12,543.59 (2)	D	

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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 proof 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	Amoun or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)					(3)	01/24/2019	Common Stock	708
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (4)					<u>(4)</u>	01/19/2020	Common Stock	715
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (5)	01/22/2019		A	1,845	<u>(5)</u>	01/22/2021	Common Stock	1,845
Common Stock Option	\$ 38.8					02/20/2014(6)	02/20/2020	Common Stock	6,800
Common Stock Option	\$ 50.32					02/27/2015(6)	02/27/2021	Common Stock	3,866
Common Stock Option	\$ 67.08					02/12/2016(6)	02/12/2022	Common Stock	3,208
Common Stock Option	\$ 54.3					02/17/2017(6)	02/17/2023	Common Stock	6,362
Common Stock Option	\$ 75.61					02/23/2018(6)	02/23/2024	Common Stock	3,885
Common Stock Option	\$ 73.21					02/21/2019(6)	02/21/2025	Common Stock	4,793

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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

01/24/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) This award reflects the settlement of performance share units that were determined to vest based on the level of achievement of the specified performance targets.
- (2) Total ownership includes 2,627 shares of restricted stock.
- Restricted Stock Units were awarded on 1/24/17 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 2016 annual incentive compensation in restricted stock units in lieu of cash.
- 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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- Options vest in three equal installments on the three succeeding anniversary dates 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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