

THORNTON JOHN D  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
THORNTON JOHN D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Upland Software, Inc. [UPLD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
300 W. SIXTH STREET, STE. 2300  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/16/2017

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

AUSTIN, TX 78701

4. If Amendment, Date Original 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

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	11/16/2017		J <sup>(1)</sup>		873,034	D	\$ 0 0	I	By Austin Ventures IX, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	11/16/2017		J <sup>(3)</sup>		1,309,550	D	\$ 0 0	I	By Austin Ventures X, L.P. <sup>(4)</sup>

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. 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				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
THORNTON JOHN D 300 W. SIXTH STREET, STE. 2300 AUSTIN, TX 78701		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Kevin Kunz,  
Attorney-in-Fact

11/17/2017

\*\*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) Austin Ventures IX, L.P. ("AV IX") made a pro rata distribution to its partners of 873,034 shares of common stock of the issuer for no consideration on November 16, 2017.  
  
Shares held directly by AV IX. AV Partners IX, L.P. ("AVP IX LP"), the general partner of AV IX, and AV Partners IX, L.L.C. ("AVP IX LLC"), the general partner AVP IX LP, may each be deemed to have sole voting and dispositive powers over the shares held by AV IX.
- (2) IX. Joseph C. Aragona, Kenneth P. DeAngelis, Christopher A. Pacitti, Philip S. Siegel, and John D. Thornton are members of or are associated with AVP IX LLC and may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares held by AV IX. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership of shares held by AV IX, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Austin Ventures X, L.P. ("AV X") made a pro rata distribution to its partners of 1,309,550 shares of common stock of the issuer for no consideration on November 16, 2017.  
  
Shares held directly by AV X. AV Partners X, L.P. ("AVP X LP"), the general partner of AV X, and AV Partners X, L.L.C. ("AVP X LLC"), the general partner AVP X LP, may each be deemed to have sole voting and dispositive powers over the shares held by AV X.
- (4) Joseph C. Aragona, Kenneth P. DeAngelis, Christopher A. Pacitti, Philip S. Siegel, and John D. Thornton are members of or are associated with AVP X LLC and may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares held by AV X. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership of shares held by AV X, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

**Remarks:**

This report is one of three reports, each on a separate Form 4 but relating to the same transactions.

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