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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Anderman Sigmund Issuer Symbol ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title C/O ELLIE MAE, INC., 4420 12/29/2016 below) **ROSEWOOD DRIVE, SUITE 500** Founder & Executive Chairman (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

(City)	(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)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		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	12/29/2016		G	V	1,588 (1)	D	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	0	I	Sig GRAT 2014
Common Stock	12/29/2016		G	V	3,447 (2)	D	\$ 0 (2)	0	I	Susan GRAT 2014
Common Stock	12/29/2016		G	V	1,588 (1)	A	\$ 0 (1)	213,810	I	by Trust
Common Stock	12/29/2016		G	V	3,447 (2)	A	\$ 0 (2)	217,257	I	by Trust
Common Stock	01/03/2017		F(4)		17,123	D	\$ 84.66	140,751	D	

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 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Common} \\ \text{Stock} \end{array} \hspace{3cm} 10,000 \hspace{3cm} \text{I} \hspace{3cm} \begin{array}{c} \text{by } 401(\textbf{k}) \\ \text{Plan} \end{array}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Anderman Sigmund C/O ELLIE MAE, INC. 4420 ROSEWOOD DRIVE, SUITE 500 PLEASANTON, CA 94588	X		Founder & Executive Chairman				

Signatures

/s/ LeeAnn Linck, as Attorney-in-Fact for Sigmund
Anderman
01/05/2017

**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) On December 29, 2016, Sig GRAT 2014 transferred 1,588 shares of Common Stock to the Trust (as defined in Footnote 3).
- (2) On December 29, 2016, Susan GRAT 2014 transferred 3,447 shares of Common Stock to the Trust (as defined in Footnote 3).

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- (3) These shares are held by Sigmund Anderman, Trustee of the Sigmund and Susan Anderman Family Trust dated March 3, 2006 (the "Trust").
- (4) Represents shares of common stock withheld by the Issuer in payment of the withholding tax liability incurred upon the vesting of performance restricted stock units. The amount of shares withheld is based on the closing price of ELLI on January 3, 2017.

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