

Trefler Leon
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Trefler Leon

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PEGASYSTEMS INC., 1
ROGERS STREET

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PEGASYSTEMS INC [PEGA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/21/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

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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 | 08/21/2017 | | M | | 8,500 A \$ 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/21/2017 | | F | | 5,487 (1) D \$ 54.55 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/21/2017 | | S | | 3,013 D \$ 54.54 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/21/2017 | | S | | 3,380 D \$ 54.75 (3) | D | |

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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) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| | | | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | | |
| Stock Options | \$ 18.03 | 08/21/2017 | | M | 8,500 | 03/07/2013 ⁽⁴⁾ | 03/07/2022 | Common Stock | 17,124 ⁽⁵⁾ |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Trefler Leon C/O PEGASYSYSTEMS INC. 1 ROGERS STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142 | | | SVP, Global Customer Success | |

Signatures

/s/ Janet Mesrobian, Esq., Attorney-In-Fact for Leon Trefler 08/23/2017

__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) Represents the exercise price of the Stock Options referenced in Table II and Mr. Trefler's tax liability, which were paid by way of withholding by the Company of shares of equal value.
- (2) Represents the weighted average of the sale prices on August 21, 2017, ranging from \$54.50 to \$54.55.
- (3) Represents the weighted average of the sale prices on August 21, 2017, ranging from \$54.70 to \$54.75.
- (4) Options vested 20% on March 7, 2013, with the remaining 80% vesting in equal quarterly installments over the next four years.
- (5)

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The grant of restricted stock units was previously reported as 8,562, but has been adjusted to reflect a 2-for-1 stock split that occurred on April 1, 2014.

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