SPLUNK INC Form 4 October 15, 2014

## FORM 4

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See Instruction

1. Name and Add SULLIVAN C		ing Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SPLUNK INC [SPLK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (I		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 BRANNAN STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 10/13/2014	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President, CEO & Chairman		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired tion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or			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	10/13/2014		Code V M	Amount 16,666	(D)	Price \$ 0.565	189,690	D			
Common Stock	10/13/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	3,700	D	\$ 50.32 (2)	185,990	D			
Common Stock	10/13/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	5,866	D	\$ 51.18 (3)	180,124	D			
Common Stock	10/13/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	5,900	D	\$ 52.05	174,224	D			

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Common Stock	10/13/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 53.18 <u>(5)</u>	173,624	D	
Common Stock	10/13/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	941	D	\$ 54.62 (6)	172,683	D	
Common Stock	10/14/2014	M	16,666	A	\$ 0.565	189,349	D	
Common Stock	10/14/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	16,666	D	\$ 52.07	172,683	D	
Common Stock	10/15/2014	M	16,668	A	\$ 0.565	189,351	D	
Common Stock	10/15/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	1,719	D	\$ 50.29 (7)	187,632	D	
Common Stock	10/15/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	9,149	D	\$ 51.38 (8)	178,483	D	
Common Stock	10/15/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	1,300	D	\$ 52.26 (9)	177,183	D	
Common Stock	10/15/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	3,400	D	\$ 53.48 (10)	173,783	D	
Common Stock	10/15/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	8,650	D	\$ 54.05 (11)	165,133	D	
Common Stock						1,806,350	I	See footnote (12)
Common Stock						17,700	I	See footnote (13)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	iorDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Acquor D	urities uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4, 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.565	10/13/2014		M		16,666	<u>(14)</u>	09/16/2018	Common Stock	16,666
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.565	10/14/2014		M		16,666	<u>(14)</u>	09/16/2018	Common Stock	16,666
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.565	10/15/2014		M		16,668	(14)	09/16/2018	Common Stock	16,668

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SULLIVAN GODFREY C/O SPLUNK INC. 250 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107	X		President, CEO & Chairman			

## **Signatures**

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

10/15/2014 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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 23, 2014.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$49.71 to \$50.68, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price

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- within the ranges set forth in footnotes (2) through (11) to this Form 4.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.71 to \$51.70, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$51.71 to \$52.57, inclusive.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$52.85 to \$53.54, inclusive.
- (6) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$54.08 to \$54.86, inclusive.
- (7) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$49.80 to \$50.76, inclusive.
- (8) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.82 to \$51.81, inclusive.
- (9) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$51.83 to \$52.77, inclusive.
- (10) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$52.92 to \$53.90, inclusive.
- (11) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$54.00 to \$54.35, inclusive.
- (12) Shares held directly by the Godfrey and Suzanne Sullivan Revocable Trust dated December 5, 2000 for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.
- Shares held directly by the Reporting Person's younger daughter. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares, (13) and this report should not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such shares for purposes of
- (14) The option is fully vested and immediately exercisable.

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