

HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS INC  
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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 \*  
 Zabaneh Samir Michael

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS INC [HPY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 90 NASSAU STREET, 2ND FLOOR  
 (Street)  
 PRINCETON, NJ 08542  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 04/22/2016

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

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

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	(D)	Price
Common Stock	04/22/2016		D		10,211	D	0

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)**

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		D	12,804	(3) 12/19/2024	Common Stock	12,804
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		A	16,543	(5) 12/19/2024	Common Stock	16,543
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		D	16,543	(5) 12/19/2024	Common Stock	16,543
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		A	14,602	(7) 12/19/2024	Common Stock	14,602
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		D	14,602	(7) 12/19/2024	Common Stock	14,602
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		D	1,654	(9) 12/19/2019	Common Stock	1,654
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		A	6,026	(11) 12/11/2025	Common Stock	6,026
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		D	6,026	(11) 12/11/2025	Common Stock	6,026
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/22/2016		D	4,519	(13) 12/11/2025	Common Stock	4,519

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Zabaneh Samir Michael 90 NASSAU STREET 2ND FLOOR PRINCETON, NJ 08542			Chief Financial Officer	

