RICKERTSEN CARL J

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See Instruction

1(b).

(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 RICKERTSEN CARL J Issuer Symbol

MICROSTRATEGY INC [MSTR] (Check all applicable)

(Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title C/O MICROSTRATEGY 05/31/2018 below)

INCORPORATED, 1850 TOWERS CRESCENT PLAZA

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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(State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

5. Amount of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) **Following** (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Class A Common 3,000 D

Stock

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Director Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 129.57	05/31/2018		A	5,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/31/2028	Class A Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RICKERTSEN CARL J

C/O MICROSTRATEGY INCORPORATED
1850 TOWERS CRESCENT PLAZA
TYSONS CORNER, VA 22182

Signatures

/s/ W. Ming Shao, Attorney-in-Fact 06/04/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

This option is scheduled to vest as to 1,250 shares on the first anniversary of the grant date, and as to an additional 1,250 shares on each anniversary thereafter until the option is vested in full. This option was granted pursuant to Amendment No. 2 to the MicroStrategy

- (1) Incorporated 2013 Stock Incentive Plan ("Amendment No. 2"). Amendment No. 2 provides for the annual automatic grant of a stock option to purchase 5,000 shares of Class A common stock to each non-employee director on May 31 of each year, beginning in 2015. Amendment No. 2 was approved by the stockholders of MicroStrategy Incorporated at the 2015 annual meeting.
- (2) See Exhibit A.

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