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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hahn Eric

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

PROOFPOINT INC [PFPT]

(Check all applicable)

C/O PROOFPOINT, INC., 892

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

04/03/2018

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner __X__ Other (specify

ROSS DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

below) below) Chairman

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

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SUNNYVALE, CA 94089

(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	04/03/2018		S <u>(1)</u>	4,600 (2)	D	\$ 113.5852 (3)	18,401	D		
Common Stock	04/03/2018		S(1)	400 (2)	D	\$ 114.233 (4)	18,001	D		
Common Stock							202,008	I	By Family Trust (5)	

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.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivati	ve Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	Secu
(Instr. 3) Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	Title	or Number		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Snares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Hahn Eric							
C/O PROOFPOINT, INC.	X			Chairman			
892 ROSS DRIVE	Λ			Chamhan			
SUNNYVALE, CA 94089							

Signatures

/s/ Eric Hahn By Michael Yang,
Attorney-In-Fact
04/04/2018

**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).

Date

- (1) This transaction was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 5, 2016.
- (2) Represents the aggregate of sales effected on the same day at different prices
- Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$113.14 to \$113.97 per share. Full (3) information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$114.1501 to \$114.31 per share. Full (4) information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- (5) Shares directly held by the Hahn Family Trust dated 10/20/1999, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee and may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over these shares.

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