SPLUNK INC Form 4 September 10, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading CONTE DAVID F Symbol (First) (Middle) (Last)

SPLUNK INC [SPLK] (Check all applicable) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 **BRANNAN STREET**

(Month/Day/Year)

09/09/2013

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP & Chief Financial Officer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Issuer

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

(Street)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) actiomr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/09/2013		M	20,833	A	\$ 2.94	60,833	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2013		M	2,083	A	\$ 4.82	62,916	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2013		S <u>(1)</u>	4,800	D	\$ 56.9951 (2)	58,116	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2013		S <u>(1)</u>	2,933	D	\$ 57.8767	55,183	D	
	09/09/2013		S(1)	11,988	D		43,195	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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
,	Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 2.94	09/09/2013		M	20,833	<u>(6)</u>	07/14/2021	Common Stock	20,833
(Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 4.82	09/09/2013		M	2,083	<u>(7)</u>	12/14/2021	Common Stock	2,083

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

CONTE DAVID F C/O SPLUNK INC. 250 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

SVP & Chief Financial Officer

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Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

09/10/2013

**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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on September 26, 2012.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$56.435 to \$57.42, 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 within the ranges set forth in footnotes (2) through (5) to this Form 4.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$57.46 to \$58.41, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$58.42 to \$59.41, inclusive.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$59.43 to \$59.59, inclusive.
- The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 1,000,000 shares, is subject to an early exercise provision pursuant to which

 (6) 411,142 shares are immediately exercisable and an additional 34,013 shares become exercisable on each of January 1, 2014 and January

 1, 2015. One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on July 15, 2012 and one forty-eighth of the shares vest monthly thereafter.
- (7) One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on December 15, 2012 and one forty-eighth of the shares vest monthly thereafter. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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