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November 07, 2016

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

SCHEDULE 13D
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No. 1)*

VMware, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

928563402

(CUSIP Number)

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Silver Lake

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Menlo Park, CA 94025

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

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(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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Explanatory Note

This Amendment No. 1 (the Amendment) amends the statement on Schedule 13D originally filed by the Reporting Persons on September 19, 2016 (the Schedule 13D). The Item below amends the information disclosed under the corresponding Item of the Schedule 13D as described below. Except as specifically provided herein, this Amendment does not modify any of the information previously reported in the Schedule 13D. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings attributed to them in the Schedule 13D. Although the actual number of shares of Class A Common Stock of the Issuer which may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons has not changed since the filing of the Schedule 13D, this Amendment is being filed to report a change in the percentage of the outstanding Class A Common Stock beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons as a result of the change in the outstanding number of shares of Class A Common Stock of the Issuer, primarily as a result of repurchases of Class A Common Stock by the Issuer, since the filing of the Schedule 13D.

The Class A Common Stock of the Issuer reported as beneficially owned in this Amendment is directly held by EMC Corporation (EMC). As described further below, EMC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Dell Inc., which is indirectly wholly-owned by Dell Technologies Inc. (Dell Technologies). Dell Technologies is owned by investors including certain of the Reporting Persons, Michael S. Dell, a separate property trust for the benefit of Mr. Dell's wife and funds affiliated with MSD Partners, L.P.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

The information contained in rows 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 on each of the cover pages of this Amendment and the information set forth or incorporated in Items 2 and 6 of the Schedule 13D is incorporated by reference in its entirety into this Item 5.

Items 5 (a) (b) are hereby amended and restated as follows:

(a) (b) The Reporting Persons may be deemed to beneficially own an aggregate of 343,025,308 shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock, which includes (i) 43,025,308 shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock held by EMC and (ii) 300,000,000 shares of the Issuer's Class B Common Stock held by EMC, which are convertible into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis at any time at EMC's election, representing approximately 83.3% of the issued and outstanding shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock calculated on the basis of Rule 13d-3 of the Exchange Act. The percentages of beneficial ownership in this Schedule 13D are based on 411,565,890 shares of common stock of the Issuer outstanding as of October 31, 2016, as reflected in the Issuer's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2016, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 7, 2016 and assumes conversion of all outstanding shares of Class B Common Stock into shares of Class A Common Stock. As further described in Item 6 of the Schedule 13D, the Reporting Persons may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over all shares reported herein with EMC, Dell Technologies and certain of its other subsidiaries, and Mr. Dell. Dell Technologies, EMC and Mr. Dell separately file Schedule 13D filings reporting their respective beneficial ownership of such securities.

Information with respect to the beneficial ownership of Class A Common Stock by the individuals listed in Annex A of the Schedule 13D is set forth in Annex A of the Schedule 13D and is incorporated herein by reference in response to this Item 5.

Signatures

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of its knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: November 7, 2016

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