PayPal Holdings, Inc. Form 4 March 16, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ready William J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

PayPal Holdings, Inc. [PYPL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O PAYPAL HOLDINGS,

(Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2017

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

(Middle)

INC., 2211 NORTH FIRST STREET

(Street)

(Ctota)

(First)

EVP, Chief Operating Officer

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95131

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | e I - Non-I | Derivative S | Securi | ties Acqu | ired, 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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4 | sposed | of (D) | 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 03/15/2017 | | M | 25,094 | A | \$ 0 | 143,978 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/15/2017 | | M | 5,340 | A | \$0 | 149,318 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/15/2017 | | F | 15,882 (1) | D | \$ 42.39 | 133,436 | D | |

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) | orDeriva Securit Acquir | ties red (A) posed of 3, 4, | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------|--|---------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo Num Share |
| Restricted Stock Units -3 | <u>(2)</u> | 03/15/2017 | | M | 2 | 25,094 | (3) | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 25, |
| Restricted Stock Units -4 | <u>(2)</u> | 03/15/2017 | | M | | 5,340 | (3) | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 5,3 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 35.88 | | | | | | <u>(5)</u> | 04/01/2022 | Common Stock | 32, |
| Restricted Stock Units -5 | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | | <u>(6)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 12, |
| Restricted Stock Units -6 | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | | <u>(7)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 56, |
| Restricted Stock Units -7 | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | | <u>(7)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 97, |
| Restricted Stock Units -8 | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | | (8) | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 388 |
| Restricted Stock Units -9 | <u>(2)</u> | | | | | | <u>(9)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 13, |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Ketationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |

Ready William J

C/O PAYPAL HOLDINGS, INC. 2211 NORTH FIRST STREET SAN JOSE, CA 95131

EVP, Chief Operating Officer

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By: Brian Yamasaki For: William J. 03/16/2017 Ready

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**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) Represents shares reacquired to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of 30,434 shares of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on January 15, 2014.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of PayPal's common stock.
- The reporting person received restricted stock units subject to a four-year vesting schedule, vesting 20% on the second year anniversary
- (3) date of the restricted stock unit and 3.33% monthly thereafter. Upon vesting, the reporting person will receive a number of shares of common stock equal to the number of restricted stock units that have vested.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) The option grant is subject to a four-year vesting schedule, vesting 12.5% on the 6 month anniversary of the grant and 1/48th per month thereafter.
- The reporting person received restricted stock units subject to a four-year vesting schedule, vesting 25% on the one year anniversary date (6) of the restricted stock unit and 25% each year thereafter. Upon vesting, the reporting person will receive a number of shares of common stock equal to the number of restricted stock units that have vested.
- The reporting person received a restricted stock unit grant subject to a three-year vesting schedule, vesting 33.34% on the one year anniversary date of the restricted stock unit, 33.33% on the second year anniversary, and 33.33% on the third year anniversary. Upon vesting, the reporting person will receive a number of shares of common stock equal to the number of restricted stock units that have vested.
- The reporting person received restricted stock units subject to a four-year vesting schedule, vesting 25% on the one year anniversary date (8) of the restricted stock unit and quarterly thereafter. Upon vesting, the reporting person will receive a number of shares of common stock equal to the number of restricted stock units that have vested.
- The reporting person earned a total of 27,982 shares in respect of performance-based restricted stock units (PBRSUs) for the 2015-2016 (9) performance period, which were granted to the reporting person as restricted stock units on 3/1/17. Amount represents 50% of the shares subject to such restricted stock units vesting on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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