Taslakov Dimitre Form 4 April 03, 2019

FORM 4

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

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

subject to
Section 16.

Form 4 or
Form 5
obligations
SECURITIES

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Taslakov Dimitre Symbol

(Middle)

Symbol

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS]

/MA [PRGS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2019

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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____ Director ____ 10% Owner __X_ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify below)

below) Chief Talent Officer

C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION, 14 OAK PARK DRIVE

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

 $6.\ Individual\ or\ Joint/Group\ Filing (Check$

Applicable Line)

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

Person

BEDFORD, MA 01730

| (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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3, | ispose 4 and (A) or | d 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 | 04/01/2019 | | M | 509 | A | \$ 0 (1) | 43,940 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 04/01/2019 | | F | 209 (2) | D | \$ 44.566 | 43,731 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 04/01/2019 | | M | 190 | A | \$ 0 (1) | 43,921 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 04/01/2019 | | F | 79 <u>(3)</u> | D | \$ 44.566 | 43,842 | D | | |
| | 04/01/2019 | | M | 1,197 | A | \$ 0 (1) | 45,039 | D | | |

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| Common Stock | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|------------|---|---------|---|--------------|--------|---|
| Common Stock | 04/01/2019 | F | 496 (4) | D | \$ 44.566 | 44,543 | D |
| Common Stock | 04/01/2019 | M | 690 | A | \$ 0 (1) | 45,233 | D |
| Common Stock | 04/01/2019 | F | 286 (5) | D | \$ 44.566 | 44,947 | 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) | 5. Number on f 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) | | 8. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|----------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 04/01/2019 | | M | 509 | <u>(6)</u> | <u>(6)</u> | Common Stock | 509 | \$ |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 04/01/2019 | | M | 190 | <u>(7)</u> | <u>(7)</u> | Common Stock | 190 | \$ |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 04/01/2019 | | M | 1,197 | <u>(8)</u> | (8) | Common Stock | 1,197 | \$ |
| Restricted Stock Unit | <u>(1)</u> | 04/01/2019 | | M | 690 | <u>(9)</u> | <u>(9)</u> | Common Stock | 690 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Taslakov Dimitre C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION 14 OAK PARK DRIVE BEDFORD, MA 01730

Chief Talent Officer

Signatures

Stephen H. Faberman, Attorney-in-Fact

04/03/2019

**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) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Represents shares of common stock withheld by Progress Software Corporation (the "Company") to pay the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on January 18, 2016.
- (3) Represents shares of common stock withheld by the Company to pay the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person upon the vesting of performance-based restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on January 18, 2016.
- (4) Represents shares of common stock withheld by the Company to pay the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on February 17, 2017.
- (5) Represents shares of common stock withheld by the Company to pay the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on January 12, 2018.
- On January 18, 2016, the Reporting Person was granted 3,050 restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and (6) Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning October 1, 2016, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with the Company.
- On January 18, 2016, the Reporting Person was granted 4,575 performance-based restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2008

 Stock Option and Incentive Plan. One-third of the restricted stock units vest beginning April 1, 2017 and the remaining restricted stock units vest in four equal semiannual installments beginning October 1, 2017, subject to the Company meeting earnings per share criteria for the fiscal year ending November 30, 2016, and the continued employment of the Reporting Person with the Company.
- On February 17, 2017, the Reporting Person was granted 7,180 restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and (8) Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning October 1, 2017, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with the Company.
- On January 12, 2018, the Reporting Person was granted 4,143 restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and (9) Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning October 1, 2018, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with the Company.

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