ELLIE MAE INC Form 4 February 29, 2016

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HU LIMIN**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First) (Middle) ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O ELLIE MAE, INC., 4420

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2016

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

ROSEWOOD DRIVE. SUITE 500

below) below) EVP, CTO

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

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Indirect (I) Owned Following (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

02/25/2016

9,946 227,962 A A \$0 (1)

(A)

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	5. 6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and		8. Price of	9. Nu
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HU LIMIN C/O ELLIE MAE, INC. 4420 ROSEWOOD DRIVE, SUITE 500 PLEASANTON, CA 94588

EVP, CTO

Signatures

/s/ Limin Hu 02/29/2016 **Signature of Date 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).

Constitutes shares to be issued following the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors certification on February 25, 2016 of the achievement of performance goals under 2015 performance share awards. Shares of common stock will be issued on or about March 25, 2016 with 25% of the shares vesting on each of the date of issuance, February 25, 2017, February 25, 2018 and February 25, 2019, subject to continuous service through such dates.

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