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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HEWITT JOHN T			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
			Liberty Tax, Inc. [TAX]			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
1716 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY		NDING	(Month/Day/Year) 09/14/2016	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer/Pres.		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		

VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454

(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)	Code (Instr. 8)	oror Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of 4 and 3	5)	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)
Class A Common Stock	09/14/2016		Code V	Amount 20,000	(D)	Price \$ 12.7268 (1)	1,671,651	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/14/2016		G	8,000	D	<u>(2)</u>	1,663,651	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/14/2016		G	12,000	D	(2)	1,651,651	D	
Class A Common							145,650.81 (3)	I	By 401(k) Plan

Stock

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	iorNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	S		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
						LACICISADIC	Duic		of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HEWITT JOHN T						
1716 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY	X	X	Chief Executive Officer/Pres.			
VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454						

Signatures

John T. Hewitt 09/16/2016

**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) Price is weighted-averaged price of all same-day open market trades executed by a broker-dealer, which occurred in a price range of \$12.70 and 12.80.
- (2) Shares transferred by bona fide gift.
- (3) Reflects the shares of Class A Common Stock held through the Company 401(k) plan. The reporting person's holdings in the Company 401(k) plan have fluctuated and the reported holdings are based on the reporting person's 401(k) plan statement as of August 8, 2016.

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