

GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
TRAPP MICHAEL W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

10 GLENLAKE  
PARKWAY, NORTH TOWER

(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30328

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [GPN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/14/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                | (A) or (D)                                                        | Price                                                                                         |                                                          |                                                       |
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                | Code                                                              | V                                                                                             | Amount                                                   |                                                       |
| Common Stock                    | 05/14/2015                           |                                                    | M                              | A                                                                 | \$ 46.16                                                                                      | 20,313                                                   | D                                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 05/14/2015                           |                                                    | M                              | A                                                                 | \$ 42.07                                                                                      | 23,925                                                   | D                                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 05/14/2015                           |                                                    | S <sup>(1)</sup>               | D                                                                 | \$ 104.25                                                                                     | 14,823                                                   | D                                                     |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   | <sup>(2)</sup>                                                                                | 3,714                                                    | I By Trust                                            |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities (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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)  | \$ 46.16                                               | 05/14/2015                           |                                                    | M                              | 5,490                                                                          | <sup>(3)</sup> 10/01/2019                                | Common Stock                                                  | 5,490                      |
| Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)      | \$ 42.07                                               | 05/14/2015                           |                                                    | M                              | 3,612                                                                          | <sup>(4)</sup> 10/01/2020                                | Common Stock                                                  | 3,612                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                             | Relationships |           |         |       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                                                            | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| TRAPP MICHAEL W<br>10 GLENLAKE PARKWAY<br>NORTH TOWER<br>ATLANTA, GA 30328 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ David Green as attorney-in-fact for Michael W. Trapp  
05/18/2015

\*\*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) These shares were sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan executed by the reporting person when he was not in possession of material non-public information.

(2)

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The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$103.26 to \$104.74, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the ranges set forth above.

- (3) This grant became exercisable in 25% increments on the first (October 1, 2010), second (October 1, 2011), third (October 1, 2012), fourth (October 1, 2013) anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) This grant became exercisable in 25% increments on the first (October 1, 2011), second (October 1, 2012), third (October 1, 2013) and fourth (October 1, 2014) anniversary of the grant date.

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