

PROOFPOINT 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 *
Hahn Eric

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O PROOFPOINT, INC., 892
ROSS DRIVE
(Street)

SUNNYVALE, CA 94089

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PROOFPOINT INC [PFPT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/27/2015

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)
Chairman

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | 04/27/2015 | | S(1) | V Amount 21,307 (2) D Price \$ 53.961 (3) | 253,665 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/27/2015 | | S(1) | V Amount 18,693 (2) D Price \$ 54.4986 (4) | 234,972 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/28/2015 | | S(1) | V Amount 2,000 (2) D Price \$ 54.2263 (5) | 232,972 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/28/2015 | | S(1) | V Amount 6,700 (2) D Price \$ 55.5719 (6) | 226,272 | D | |

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|--------------|------------|------------------|----------------------|---|--------------------------|---------|---|---------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 04/28/2015 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 1,300 ⁽²⁾ | D | \$ 55.905 ⁽⁷⁾ | 224,972 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 20,000 | I | By Trust 1 ⁽⁸⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 20,000 | I | By Trust 2 ⁽⁹⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 213,718 | I | By Family Trust ⁽¹⁰⁾ |

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 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| | | | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|----------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Hahn Eric C/O PROOFPOINT, INC. 892 ROSS DRIVE SUNNYVALE, CA 94089 | X | | | Chairman |

Signatures

/s/ Eric Hahn By Michael Yang,
Attorney-In-Fact

04/29/2015

__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 transactions were effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 7, 2014.
- (2) Represents the aggregate of sales effected on the same day at different prices.
Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$53.46 to \$54.45 per share. Full
- (3) information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$54.46 to \$54.63 per share. Full
- (4) information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$53.83 to \$54.73 per share. Full
- (5) information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$54.84 to \$55.83 per share. Full
- (6) information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$55.85 to \$56.07 per share. Full
- (7) information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- (8) Shares directly held by the Evan Matthew Hahn Trust, U/A DTD 3/14/1996, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee and may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over these shares.
- (9) Shares directly held by the Jeremy Stephen Hahn Trust, U/A DTD 10/20/1999, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee and may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over these shares.
- (10) Shares directly held by the Hahn Family Trust dated 10/20/1999, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee and may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over these shares.

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