# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Parrilli Amanda B	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>DELUXE CORP</u> [ DLX ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
	_	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3680 VICTORIA STREET N.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2021	SVP, Chief of Strategy				
(Street) SHOREVIEW MN 55126	4. If Amendment, Date of 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				
(City) (State) (Zip)						

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (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.	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(1150.4)

## 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. Transac Code (Ir 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock Option	\$41.27	03/01/2021		Α		7,813		03/01/2022 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/01/2031	Common Stock	7,813	\$0	7,813	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	03/01/2021		Α		1,817		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,817	\$0	1,817	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	03/01/2021		Α		6,058		03/01/2023 <sup>(3)</sup>	03/01/2023	Common Stock	6,058	\$0	6,058	D	

### Explanation of Responses:

1. Options will vest in four equal installments on the four succeeding anniversary dates of the date of grant, provided the holder remains an employee of the Company. Date entered reflects date on which first installment vests. 2. Restricted stock units granted under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan that vest in equal one-quarter increments on the first four anniversaries of date of grant. Upon vesting, each unit is converted into a share of common stock. Subject to certain exceptions, vesting is contingent upon continued employment.

3. Restricted stock units granted under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan as part of a retention program for the Company's executive team members, which units vest in full on the second anniversary of the date of grant. Upon vesting, each unit is converted into a share of common stock. Subject to certain exceptions, vesting is contingent upon continued employment

Remarks:

/s/ Jeffrey L. Cotter, Attorney-in-03/03/2021 Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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).

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