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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| contract, instruction of purchase or sale of ec issuer that is intended affirmative defense co 10b5-1(c). See Instruc | quity securities of the I to satisfy the anditions of Rule | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Engelhardt Tracey G | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DELUXE CORP [DLX] | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director |
| (Last) 801 MARQUETTE | (First) E AVE. S. | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2025 | SVP, Division President |
| (Street) MINNEAPOLIS | MN | 55402 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 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) | | . S S., S. a.u.ii One repending reson |

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. Transac Code (Ir 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---------------------------------|---|---|---------------|---------------------------|--|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (11150: 4) |
| Common Stock | 02/14/2025 | | M | | 10,025 | A | \$0 ⁽¹⁾ | 64,543.59 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/14/2025 | | F | | 4,186 | D | \$18.63(2) | 60,357.59 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2025 | | M | | 10,230 | A | \$0 ⁽¹⁾ | 70,587.59 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2025 | | F | | 4,272 | D | \$18.92 ⁽²⁾ | 66,315.59 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2025 | | M | | 3,084 | Α | \$0 ⁽¹⁾ | 69,399.59 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2025 | | F | | 1,288 | D | \$18.92(2) | 68,111.59 | D | |

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) | | Derivative | | 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) |
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| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Restricted Stock Unit | \$0 | 02/14/2025 | | M | | | 10,025 | (3) | 02/14/2027 | Common Stock | 10,025 | \$0 | 20,050 | D | |
| Restricted Stock Unit | \$0 | 02/15/2025 | | M | | | 10,230 | (3) | 02/15/2026 | Common Stock | 10,230 | \$0 | 10,231 | D | |
| Restricted Stock Unit | \$0 | 02/16/2025 | | M | | | 3,084 | (4) | 02/16/2026 | Common Stock | 3,084 | \$0 | 3,083 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Transaction reflects vesting and conversion into shares on a one-for-one basis of restricted stock units previously awarded.
- 2. Transaction reflects withholding of shares to satisfy tax liabilities associated with vesting of restricted stock units.
- 3. Restricted stock units granted under the Company's Stock Incentive Plan that vest in equal one-third increments on the first three 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.
- 4. Restricted stock units granted under the Company's Stock 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.

Remarks:

/s/ Kortney Q. Nordrum, Attorneyin-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

02/18/2025

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).

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