Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Day David | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title | | 10% (| ssuer Owner (specify | | |
|--|---|------|---------------|--|---|---|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|---|---|--|---|------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE RUBICON PROJECT, INC. 12181 BLUFF CREEK DRIVE, 4TH FLOOR | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/13/2018 | | | | | | | | | | below) below) CFO | | | | |
| (Street) LOS AN (City) | GELES CA | | 90094 Zip) | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | . Indivi ine) X | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| | | Tabl | e I - No | n-Deriva | ative S | ecui | ritie | s Acc | uired, | Dis | posed o | f, o | r Ben | efici | ally (|) Wne | ed | | | |
| | | | Date | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5) | | | | nd | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | . | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common | Stock | | | 11/13/ | 2018 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 5,196 | | D | \$4 | 1.7 | 241,021 D | | | | |
| Common | Stock | | | 11/14/ | 2018 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 24,146 | 5 | D | \$4. | 7 ⁽²⁾ | 216,875 D | | | | |
| Common | Stock | | | 11/15/ | 2018 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 24,456 | 5 | D | \$4.7 | 71 ⁽³⁾ | ³⁾ 192,419 D | | | | |
| Common | Stock | | | 11/15/ | 2018 | | | | F ⁽⁴⁾ | | 5,742 | | D | \$4 | .62 | 62 186,677 D | | | | |
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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | erivative Conversion Date Execution Date curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | n Date, | 4. Fransacti Code (Ins 3) | on of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Expiration Date Expiration | | | Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | ount nber | 8. Pri Deriv Secu (Instr | ative rity | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.70 to \$4.71, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide The Rubicon Project, Inc., any security holder of The Rubicon Project, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (2) and (3) to this Form 4.
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.70 to \$4.74, inclusive.
- 4. Shares withheld by the issuer to cover the reporting person's tax liability incurred upon the vesting of the reporting person's restricted shares and restricted stock units.

Remarks:

Jonathan Feldman, attorney-in-11/15/2018 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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