Straubel Jeffrey B Form 4 April 30, 2019

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Straubel Jeffrey B	* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Tesla, Inc. [TSLA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner		
C/O TESLA, INC., 3500 DEER CREEK ROAD	(Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2019	Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Technical Officer		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
PALO ALTO, CA 94304	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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)
Common Stock	04/26/2019		Code V $M^{(1)}$	Amount 15,000	(D)	Price \$ 31.49	(Instr. 3 and 4) 321,398	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		S <u>(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 232.008 <u>(2)</u>	320,598	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		S(1)	700	D	\$ 232.75 (3)	319,898	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		S(1)	1,100	D	\$ 234.099 (4)	318,798	D	
	04/26/2019		S(1)	2,500	D		316,298	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 234.87 (5)		
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 236.021 (6)	315,598	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 236.81 (7)	315,398	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 238.392 (8)	314,898	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 239.46 (9)	314,598	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	1,000	D	\$ 240.724 (10)	313,598	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	2,100	D	\$ 241.695 (11)	311,498	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	2,500	D	\$ 242.634 (12)	308,998	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	1,700	D	\$ 243.755 (13)	307,298	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 244.563 (14)	306,498	D
Common Stock	04/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 245.46	306,398	D

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4.	5. Number of orDerivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit
Security	or Exercise	(Wolldin Day Tear)	any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		(Wollan Day) Tear)	(mstr. 5 and 1)
` '	Derivative		•	`	or Disposed of		
	Security				(D)		
					(Instr 3 A		

and 5)

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					Exercisable	Date		or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.49	04/26/2019	М	15,000	(15)	02/13/2022	Common Stock	15,0

Code V (A)

(D)

Date

Title

Amo

Expiration

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Straubel Jeffrey B C/O TESLA, INC. 3500 DEER CREEK ROAD PALO ALTO, CA 94304

Chief Technical Officer

Signatures

By: Aaron Beckman, Power of Attorney For: Jeffrey B. Straubel

04/30/2019

**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) The stock option exercise and sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a pre-determined Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 12, 2018.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$231.380 to \$232.240, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- (3) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$232.420 to \$233.200, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$233.490 to \$234.480, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$234.490 to \$235.450, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$235.680 to \$236.570, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- (7) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$236.690 to \$236.930, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price

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within the range set forth in this footnote.

- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$238.010 to \$238.890, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- (9) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$239.110 to \$239.860, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$240.250 to \$241.090, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$241.250 to \$242.230, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$242.250 to \$243.240, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$243.300 to \$244.290, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$244.310 to \$245.200, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, 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 range set forth in this footnote.
- (15) 1/48th of the shares subject to the option vested on each monthly anniversary beginning on March 13, 2012, such that all shares subject to the Option became fully vested and exercisable as of December 13, 2015.

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