ELLIE MAE INC Form 4 April 02, 2014

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Luce Edgar

(First) (Middle)

C/O ELLIE MAE, INC., 4155 **HOPYARD ROAD, SUITE 200**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI]

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

04/01/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securionor Dispo (Instr. 3,	esed of 4 and (A) or	` '	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	04/01/2014(1)		M	4,998	A	\$ 1.38	104,129	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2014(1)		S	4,998	D	\$ 28.9114 (2)	99,131	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2014(1)		M	2	A	\$ 1.38	99,133	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2014(1)		S	2	D	\$ 28.9114 (2)	99,131	D	

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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 proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.38	04/01/2014(1)		M	2	<u>(3)</u>	02/22/2017	Common Stock	2
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.38	04/01/2014(1)		M	4,998	(3)	08/23/2017	Common Stock	4,998

Reporting Owners

Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Luce Edgar C/O ELLIE MAE, IN 4155 HOPYARD RO PLEASANTON, CA			Chief Financial Officer				
Signatures							
/s/ Edgar A. Luce	04/02/2014						
**Signature of	Date						

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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 exercise and sale of these stock options was completed pursuant to the Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Edgar A. Luce.
 - The price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$28.82 to \$29.015, inclusive.
- (2) The reporting person undertakes to provide to Ellie Mae, Inc., any security holder of Ellie Mae, 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 footnote (2) to this Form 4.
- (3) 100% of the shares subject to the option are fully vested and exercisable.
- (4) The reported transaction is a grant of a derivative security, in which we have left column 8 blank, and have reported the exercise or conversion price of the derivative security in column 2.

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