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may continue.
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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ainsworth John			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) C/O PROGRI CORPORATI DR.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2019	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			

4. If Amendment, Date 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

D

Person

7,671

BEDFORD, MA 01730

Common

Stock

04/01/2019

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	ired, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(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	04/01/2019		M	2,906	A	\$ 0 (1)	8,543	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2019		F	1,262 (2)	D	\$ 44.566	7,281	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2019		M	690	A	\$ 0	7,971	D	

300 (3) 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)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo (D) (Instr	5. Number 6. Date Exert Expiration I Expiration I (Month/Day Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	04/01/2019		M		2,906	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,906	\$
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	04/01/2019		M		690	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	690	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ainsworth John C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION 14 OAK PARK DR. BEDFORD, MA 01730

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Stephen H. Faberman, Attorney-in-Fact 04/03/2019

**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) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.

(2)

Reporting Owners 2

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Represents shares of common stock withheld by Progress Software Corporation (the "Company") to pay the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on February 17, 2017.

- (3) Represents shares of common stock withheld by the Company to pay the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on January 12, 2018.
- On February 17, 2017, the Reporting Person was granted 17,436 restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and (4) Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning October 1, 2017, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with the Company.
- On January 12, 2018, the Reporting Person was granted 4,143 restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and (5) Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning October 1, 2018, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with the Company.

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