HEWITT JOHN T Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HEWITT JOHN T**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(First) (Middle) (Last)

Liberty Tax, Inc. [TAX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ 10% Owner _X__ Director __ Other (specify Officer (give title

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

1716 CORPORATE LANDING **PARKWAY**

(Street)

09/29/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454

(City)	(State) (Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (D)	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)
Class A Common Stock	09/29/2017		M(1)	22,817	A	(2)	1,603,366	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/29/2017		F	7,553 (3)	D	\$ 14.55	1,595,813	D	
Class A Common Stock							150,852.03	I	Individual Retirement Account

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	vative Expiration Date inties (Month/Day/Year) ired (A) sposed of : 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	09/29/2017	M	22,817	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock	22,817	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HEWITT JOHN T						
1716 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY	X	X				
VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454						

Signatures

John T. Hewitt 10/03/2017 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).

Represents the conversion upon vesting of restricted stock units into Class A Common Stock. On December 9, 2016, the reporting person was granted 22,817 restricted stock units, of which all of the shares subject to the restricted stock units immediately vested on September 29, 2017 due to Reporting Person's severance package. Such restricted stock units were previously reported in Table II on the Form 4 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 13, 2016.

- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, upon vesting, one share of Class A Common Stock.
- (3) Reflects 7,553 shares withheld by Issuer at the market price of \$14.55 per share to fund the payment of taxes for the conversion.
- The restricted stock unit award was granted on December 9, 2016 and vested in full on September 29, 2017 pursuant to Reporting Person's severance package.

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