CAMBIUM LEARNING GROUP, INC.

Form 4

March 11, 2016

FORM 4

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

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

CAMBIUM LEARNING GROUP,

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Benson Barbara

(Last) (First) (Middle)

17855 DALLAS PARKWAY. SUITE 400

DALLAS, TX 75287

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Street)

(State)

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

INC. [ABCD]

Symbol

03/09/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

or

(A)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Derivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of 8 Underlying Securities

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(Instr. 4)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

Issuer

below)

Director

Applicable Line)

5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

Following Reported

Transaction(s)

X_ Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

Expiration Date

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	.)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (right to buy)	(1)	03/09/2016		A	20,000	<u>(1)</u>	03/08/2026	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	20,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Benson Barbara

17855 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 400 DALLAS, TX 75287

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Barbara Benson By: J. Scott McWhorter, Esq., Attorney-in-Fact

03/11/2016

**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).

On March 9, 2016, the reporting person was granted options ("Options") to purchase a total of 20,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.001, of Cambium Learning Group, Inc. (the "Company"), in consideration of her services as an officer of the Company. The Options

(1) were granted to the reporting person pursuant and subject to the Cambium Learning Group, Inc. 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. The per-share exercise price of the Options is \$4.50 and the Options vest in equal monthly installments on the last day of the month over a four year period, with an initial vesting date of March 31, 2016.

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