**ELLIE MAE INC** Form 4 May 22, 2015

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TYRRELL JOSEPH P.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
C/O ELLIE MAE, INC., 4420 ROSEWOOD DRIVE, SUITE 500			(Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2015	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP, Corporate Strategy		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
PLEASANTO	N, CA 9458	8	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	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, 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)	Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) cution Date, if Transactior Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/20/2015		S	7,874	D	\$ 63	12,804	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2015		M	3,823	A	\$ 25.3	16,627	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2015		S	3,823	D	\$ 62.1796 (1)	12,804	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2015		M	4,163	A	\$ 24.39	16,967	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2015		S	4,163	D	\$ 62.1796	12,804	D	

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Common Stock	05/22/2015	M	11,250	A	\$ 21.81	24,054	D
Common Stock	05/22/2015	S	11,250	D	\$ 62.1796 (1)	12,804	D
Common Stock	05/22/2015	M	23,333	A	\$9	36,137	D
Common Stock	05/22/2015	S	23,333	D	\$ 62.1796 (1)	12,804	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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sl
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9	05/22/2015		M	23,333	(2)	10/28/2020	Common Stock	23,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.81	05/22/2015		M	11,250	<u>(4)</u>	02/19/2023	Common Stock	11,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.39	05/22/2015		M	4,163	<u>(4)</u>	05/03/2023	Common Stock	4,1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.3	05/22/2015		M	3,823	<u>(4)</u>	05/06/2024	Common Stock	3,8

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TYRRELL JOSEPH P. C/O ELLIE MAE, INC. 4420 ROSEWOOD DRIVE, SUITE 500 PLEASANTON, CA 94588

EVP, Corporate Strategy

### **Signatures**

By: /s/ LeeAnn Linck, Attorney-in-Fact For: Joseph P. Tyrrell

05/22/2015

\*\*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).
  - The price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$62.00 to \$62.63, inclusive. 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 this footnote to this Form 4.
- (2) 100% of the shares subject to the option are fully vested and exercisable.
- (3) 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.
- (4) 25% of the stock option shares vest on one year anniversary of grant date, 1/48th of the total shares vest monthly thereafter.

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