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### FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Schneider Jacqueline D.	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	Proto Labs Inc [PRLB]	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP of Sales & Customer Service			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
5540 PIONEER CREEK DRIVE	(Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2014				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
MAPLE PLAIN, MN 55359	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	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)	(A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/01/2014		M	14,000	A	\$ 7.86	18,270	D	
Common Stock	07/01/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	14,000	D	\$ 88.9832 (2)	4,270	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.86	07/01/2014		M	14,000	(3)	12/21/2020	Common Stock	14,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schneider Jacqueline D.

5540 PIONEER CREEK DRIVE VP of Sales & Customer Service

MAPLE PLAIN, MN 55359

### **Signatures**

/s/ Samuel A. Rosenbaum,

attorney-in-fact 07/01/2014

\*\*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) Sale effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 26, 2013. The transactions reported on this Form 4 conclude the transactions contemplated by the Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- Reflects the weighted average price of 14,000 shares of common stock of Proto Labs, Inc. sold by the reporting person on July 1, 2014 with sale prices ranging from \$88.90 to \$89.17 per share. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) This option vests as to 20% of the shares in five annual installments beginning on December 21, 2011.

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