Taslakov Dimitre Form 4 April 03, 2018

FORM 4

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

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Taslakov Dimitre**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP

/MA [PRGS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Chief Talent Officer

10% Owner

Other (specify

C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION, 14 OAK PARK

(First)

(Middle)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

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

Person

BEDFORD, MA 01730

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-L	Derivative	Secui	rities 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d 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)
Common Stock	04/01/2018		M	508	A	\$ 0 (1)	43,426	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2018		F	206 (2)	D	\$ 40.125	43,220	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2018		M	190	A	\$ 0 (1)	43,410	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2018		F	77 (3)	D	\$ 40.125	43,333	D	
	04/01/2018		M	1,196	A	\$ 0 (1)	44,529	D	

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Common Stock

Common \$ 44,045 484 (4) D F 04/01/2018 D Stock

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative 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)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	04/01/2018		M	508	(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	508	\$
Common Stock	(1)	04/01/2018		M	190	(6)	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	190	\$
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	04/01/2018		M	1,196	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	1,196	\$

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Taslakov Dimitre C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION 14 OAK PARK DRIVE BEDFORD, MA 01730

Chief Talent Officer

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Stephen Faberman, Attorney-in-Fact

04/03/2018

**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) Represents shares of common stock withheld by Issuer to pay tax withholding obligation of Reporting Person upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on January 18, 2016.
- (3) Represents shares of common stock withheld by Issuer to pay tax withholding obligation of Reporting Person upon the vesting of performance-based restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on January 18, 2016.
- (4) Represents shares of common stock withheld by Issuer to pay tax withholding obligation of Reporting Person upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on February 17, 2017.
- Represents restricted stock units acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.

 (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning on October 1, 2016, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with Issuer.
- Represents restricted stock units acquired by the Reporting Person upon conversion of performance share units relating to FY16

 performance pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock. One-third of the restricted units vest on April 1, 2017, with the remaining restricted stock units vesting in four semiannual installments over two years, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with Issuer.
- Represents restricted stock units acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.

 (7) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning on October 1, 2017, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with Issuer.

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