

ULTIMATE SOFTWARE GROUP INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 DAUERMAN MITCHELL K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ULTIMATE SOFTWARE GROUP INC [ULTI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 2000 ULTIMATE WAY
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/08/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Exec. VP, CFO and Treasurer

WESTON, FL 33326
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Restricted Stock Award	02/08/2016	02/08/2016	A		38,947 (1)	A	\$ 0 172,760 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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DAUERMAN MITCHELL K 2000 ULTIMATE WAY WESTON, FL 33326			Exec. VP, CFO and Treasurer	

Signatures

/s/ Mitchell K. Dauerman 02/09/2016

**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).
- The restricted stock award was granted in connection with an amendment (the "Amendment") to the Company's Amended and Restated Change in Control Bonus Plan for Executive Officers ("CIC Plan"). The Amendment to the CIC Plan (i) reduced the aggregate limit on the amount of payments that may be made under the CIC Plan and (ii) reduced the size of the awards granted to each of the participants in (1) the CIC Plan. Pursuant to the terms of the CIC Plan, in connection with reducing these awards and the aggregate plan limit, the Company was required to provide each of the participants in the CIC Plan I, including Mr. Dauerman, with an arrangement of comparable value as determined by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors in good faith. This restricted stock award was granted for that purpose.

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