Linnington Matthew Form 4 March 13, 2018

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

L STREET, NW

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Linnington Matthew

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

COSTAR GROUP INC [CSGP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2018

C/O COSTAR GROUP, INC., 1331

(Middle)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title ) \_ Other (specify below)

Executive VP, Sales

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

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

WASHINGTON, DC 20005

(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			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, par value \$0.01 per share	03/11/2018		F	738	D	\$ 361.22	27,952 (1)	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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

**Linnington Matthew** C/O COSTAR GROUP, INC. 1331 L STREET, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20005

Executive VP, Sales

### **Signatures**

/s/ Jonathan Coleman, Attorney-in-Fact

03/13/2018

\*\*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).
- Represents all shares of Common Stock owned, consisting of 6,137 shares of Common Stock and 21,815 shares of Common Stock subject to unvested Restricted Stock grants.

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