VMWARE, INC. Form 4 February 02, 2016

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5

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obligations may continue.

See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smith S. Dawn

(First) (Middle)

3401 HILLVIEW AVENUE

(Street)

PALO ALTO, CA 94304

VMWARE, INC. [VMW]

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

01/31/2016

Symbol

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Senior VP, Chief Legal Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

5. Amount of

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Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

Code (Instr. 8)

3.

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Class A 2,135 Common 01/31/2016

F

D

24.591 ⁽²⁾

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)

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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Smith S. Dawn 3401 HILLVIEW AVENUE PALO ALTO, CA 94304

Senior VP, Chief Legal Officer

Signatures

Larry Wainblat, 02/02/2016 attorney-in-fact

**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) Shares withheld by VMware, Inc. to satisfy taxes payable in connection with the vesting of performance stock units.
- (2) 192 shares were acquired under the VMware, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on January 31, 2016.

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