FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|--|--|--------|------------------------|--------|---|---|-----------------|---|--|--|--------------------|---|-----------------|----------------------|---|---|---|---|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  KRALL DAVID  |  |        |                        |        | PR                                      | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [ PRGS ] |                 |   |  |  |                    |   |                 |                      | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner |   |   |   |  |  |
|  |  |        |                        |        | PR                                      |   |                 |   |  |  |                    |   |                 |                      | (   |   | give title  |   | (specify   |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION  14 OAK PARK DRIVE  |  |        |                        |        |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2018                     |                 |   |  |  |                    |   |                 |                      |   |   |   | Bolov   |  |  |
| (6)  |  |        |                        |        | 4. If                                   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                        |                 |   |  |  |                    |   |                 |                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)                                   |   |   |   |  |  |
| (Street) BEDFORD MA 01730  |  |        |                        |        |   |   |                 |   |  |  |                    |   |                 |                      | X Form filed by One Reporting Person  |   |   |   |  |  |
|  |  |        |                        |        |   |   |                 |   |  |  |                    |   |                 |                      | Form filed by More than One Reporting<br>Person   |   |   |   |  |  |
| (City)   | (St  | ate) ( | Zip)                   |        |   |   |                 |   |  |  |                    |   |                 |                      |   |   |   |   |  |  |
|  |  | Tabl   | e I - Non-             | -Deriv | ative                                   | Se  | curitie         | s Acc   | quired,  | , Dis  | posed o            | f, o  | r Ben           | efici                | ally Ov   | wned  |   |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da   |  |        |                        |        |   | ır)   E   | Execution f any | A. Deemed<br>kecution Date,<br>any<br>lonth/Day/Year) |  | 3.<br>Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Sect Dispose 5) |                    | ities Acquired (A)<br>d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4   |                 |                      | l and Secui<br>Bene   |   | s<br>lly<br>ollowing  | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                |  |
|  |  |        |                        |        |   |   |                 |   | Code   | v  | Amount             |   | (A) or<br>(D)   | Price                | Tr  | ansactionstr. 3 ar                                  | on(s)   |   | (Instr. 4)   |  |
| Common Stock 06/29/2   |  |        |                        |        | 9/2018                                  |   |                 |   |  |  | 5,152(             | 5,152(1)  |                 | \$38                 | .82   | 82,9  | 921   | D   |  |  |
|  | 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) |  |        | Execution Date, if any |        | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |   | n of            |   | 6. Date Exercisable<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | e                  | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr.<br>and 4) |                 | str. 3               | 8. Price<br>Derivati<br>Securit<br>(Instr. 5  | ive der<br>y Sec<br>i) Be<br>Ow<br>Fol<br>Re<br>Tra | Number of<br>erivative<br>ecurities<br>eneficially<br>wned<br>ollowing<br>eported<br>ansaction(<br>estr. 4) | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |  |        |                        |        | Code                                    | v   | (A)             | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisa   |  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | or<br>Nur<br>of | ount<br>mber<br>ares |   |   |   |   |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents deferred stock units issued to the Reporting Person by Progress Software Corporation (the "Company") as the fiscal year 2018 equity retainer for the Reporting Person's services as a director of the Company during such period. These deferred stock units were issued in accordance with the Company's FY18 Director Compensation Plan pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan and are payable on a one-for-one basis exclusively in common stock on the earlier of a change in control of the Company or the date the Reporting Person terminates service on the board of directors of the Company (the "Board of Directors"). The deferred stock units will vest on the date of the Company's 2019 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service on the Board of Directors until such date.

## Remarks:

Stephen H. Faberman, Attorney-in-Fact 07/03/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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