## FORM 4

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Add     | 1 0        | Person*       | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA |         | ationship of Reporting Pe<br>k all applicable)     | erson(s) to Issuer    |  |  |
|---------------------|------------|---------------|---|---------|--|-----------------------|--|--|
| DACIER PAUL T       |            |               | PRGS ]  | X       | Director   | 10% Owner             |  |  |
| (Last)              | (First)    | (Middle)      |   |         | Officer (give title below)                         | Other (specify below) |  |  |
|                     | SS SOFTWAR | E CORPORATION | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>06/29/2018            |         | ,  | ,                     |  |  |
|                     |            |               | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                  | 6. Indi | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable |                       |  |  |
| (Street)<br>BEDFORD | МА         | 01730         |   | X       | Form filed by One Re                               | porting Person        |  |  |
|                     | MA         | 01730         |   |         | Form filed by More th<br>Person                    | an One Reporting      |  |  |
| (City)              | (State)    | (Zip)         |   |         |  |                       |  |  |

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 4. Securities /<br>Disposed Of (<br>5) |               |         | Securities<br>Beneficially         | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---------------|---------|------------------------------------|---|---|
|                                 |  |   | Code                         | v | Amount                                 | (A) or<br>(D) | Price   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | (1130.4)  |
| Common Stock                    | 06/29/2018                                 |   | A                            |   | 5,152 <sup>(1)</sup>                   | Α             | \$38.82 | 20,790                             | D   |   |

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) or<br>Dispo<br>of (D)<br>(Instr | 5. Number<br>of Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |                     | ate                | 7. Title<br>Amour<br>Securi<br>Underl<br>Deriva<br>Securi<br>and 4) | nt of<br>ties<br>ying<br>tive<br>ty (Instr. 3 | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>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>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares        |   |  |  |  |

#### 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:**

### <u>Stephen H. Faberman,</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact</u>

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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