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* <u>LEBDA DOUGLAS R</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LendingTree, Inc. [TREE]									5. Relationship of Reportin (Check all applicable) X Director		.,	to Issuer % Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 11115 RUSHMORE DR.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2018										Officer (give title below)  Chairman & CEO			
(Street) CHARLOTTE NC 28277					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lir	ne) X Foi	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City)	(SI	tate)	(Zip)													Person			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day					r)   I	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4					6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect ct Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	or F	Price	Trans	rted saction(s) . 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 02/26/2									F <sup>(1)</sup>		76		D S	\$339.	45	4,741	I	By spouse. <sup>(2)</sup>	
Common Stock 02/27/20					/2018	018			F <sup>(1)</sup>		56		D \$359.25		25	4,685	I	By Spouse. <sup>(2)</sup>	
Common Stock															5	32,978	D		
Common Stock																45,374	I	Through Family Trust.	
Common Stock														1,	000,000	I	Through Lebda Family Holdings, LLC. <sup>(3)</sup>		
		Ta	able II -								osed of, convertib				Owne	t			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				ransaction Code (Instr.		umber vative urities uired or osed ) r. 3, 4 5)	6. Date I Expirati (Month/I	on Da			str. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	or Num of Sha						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Disposition by the spouse ("Spouse") of the reporting person to the Company to satisfy tax withholding requirements in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units; no shares were sold by spouse.
- 2. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the shares for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.
- 3. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares in which he does not have a pecuniary interest, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ Katharine F. Pierce as Attorney-in-Fact for Douglas

02/27/2018

R. Lebda

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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