## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Shumate Carla						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LendingTree, Inc. [TREE]								neck all app	icable)	ing Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 11115 RUSHMORE DR.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2018								below	below) below)  Chief Accounting Officer			
(Street) CHARLOTTE NC 28277  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. li	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	urit	ies Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	of, or Be	neficial	ly Owne	d			
Date				Date	Date			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			Benefic	es	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
								8) Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	02/23/2018					M		9,200	A	\$26.5	9 1	11,627		D				
Common Stock				02/23/2018					S <sup>(1)</sup>		800	D	\$330.8	36 10	),827	D		
Common Stock				02/23/2018					S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,399	D	\$331.	39 9	,428	D		
Common Stock				02/23	02/23/2018				S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,721	D	\$333.0	67 7	,707	D		
Common Stock 02/				02/23	3/2018				S <sup>(1)</sup>		3,800	D	\$334.8	34 3	,907	D		
Common Stock 02/23/2					/2018	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,480	D	\$335.0	66 2	2,427		D	
		Т	able II -									, or Ben ble secu		Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	ned n Date,	4. Transact Code (Ins		5. Number on of		6. Date Exercis. Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		able and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e Ow s Fo ally Dir or (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$26.59	02/23/2018			M			9,200	02/06/20	/06/2018 08/06/2024		Common Stock	9,200	\$0	\$0 25,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

 $1.\ The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 6, 2017.$ 

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

**Shumate** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

02/26/2018

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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