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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| | | | or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | | | | |
|---|--|----------------|---|--------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Shumate Carla | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Tree.com, Inc. [TREE] | | ationship of Reporting Pe k all applicable) Director | ting Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 11115 RUSHMORE DR. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/06/2014 | X | Officer (give title below) Chief Accounti | Other (specify below) | | | |
| (Street) CHARLOTTE (City) | NC (State) | 28277 (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indi Line) X | vidual or Joint/Group Fili Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person | eporting Person | |
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (| ction | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an 5) | | | Securities | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|--------|-------|--|---------------|-------|------------------------------------|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1130.4) |

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

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|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Options to Purchase Common Stock | \$26.59 | 08/06/2014 | | Α | | 39,000 | | (1) | 08/06/2024 | Common Stock | 39,000 | \$0 | 39,000 | D | |
| Options to Purchase Common Stock | \$26.59 | 08/06/2014 | | A | | 13,000 | | (2) | 08/06/2024 | Common Stock | 13,000 | \$0 | 13,000 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. These options to purchase common stock vest in a single installment on February 6, 2018 in accordance with the terms of the award agreement.

2. These options to purchase common stock vest in a single installment on February 6, 2017 in accordance with the terms of the award agreement.

/s/ Katharine F. Pierce as

08/07/2014

Attorney-in-Fact for Carla **Shumate**

** 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).

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