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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2015		nent 🔤	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LendingTree, Inc.</u> [TREE]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 11115 RUSHMORE DR.			4. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title	10% Owne Other (spe	er (Mo	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check		
(Street) CHARLOTTE NC 28277			¹² below) Chief Revenue O	below) Officer	· · ·	-	y One Reporting Person y More than One erson	
(City) (State) (Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			. Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership Form: Direct (D) (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock			14,500	D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	14,046	0	D		
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,995	0	D		
Options to Purchase Common Stock	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	3,731	33.59	D		
Options to Purchase Common Stock	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	56,250	26.59	D		
Options to Purchase Common Stock	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	18,750	26.59	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. These restricted stock units vest in a single installment on February 12, 2016 in accordance with the terms of the original award agreement.

2. These restricted stock units vest in two equal installments on each of February 19, 2016 and February 19, 2017 in accordance with the terms of the original award agreement.

3. These options to purchase common stock vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 19, 2015.

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

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

<u>/s/ Katharine Pierce as</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact for Neil</u> <u>Salvage</u>

06/18/2015

** 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 5 (b)(v).

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