

AYYAPPAN AJAY
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
AYYAPPAN AJAY

(Last) (First) (Middle)
280 PARK AVENUE
(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ExlService Holdings, Inc. [EXLS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/22/2019

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP & Gen Counsel/Corp. Sec'y.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 02/22/2019 | | M | 710 | A 11 | 710 | D |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 02/22/2019 | | F | 380 | D 63.34 (2) | 330 | D |
| Common Stock, par value | 02/23/2019 | | M | 810 | A 11 | 1,140 | D |

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value
\$0.001 per
share

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.001 per
share

02/23/2019

F

434

D

\$ 64
(3)

706

D

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.001 per
share

02/24/2019

M

875

A

11

1,581

D

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.001 per
share

02/24/2019

F

415

D

\$ 64
(4)

1,166

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units | 11 | 02/22/2019 | | M | 710 | 5 | 5 | Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 710 |
| Restricted Stock | 11 | 02/23/2019 | | M | 810 | 6 | 6 | Common Stock, par | 810 |

Units

value
\$0.001
per share

Restricted

Stock

(1)

02/24/2019

M

875

(7)(7)

Units

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.001
per share

875

\$ (

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| AYYAPPAN AJAY 280 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | | SVP & Gen Counsel/Corp. Sec'y. | |

Signatures

/s/ Lazbart Oseni,
Attorney-in-Fact

02/26/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Restricted stock units of ExlService Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") convert into common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock") on a one-for-one basis.

(2) The reporting person's restricted stock units reported in this report vested on February 22, 2019. Pursuant to the Company's 2015 Amendment and Restatement of the 2006 Omnibus Award Plan, pursuant to which such restricted stock units were granted, the closing price of the Common Stock on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on the preceding day is used for purposes of computing tax reporting and withholding.

(3) The reporting person's restricted stock units reported in this report vested on February 23, 2019. Pursuant to the Company's 2015 Amendment and Restatement of the 2006 Omnibus Award Plan, pursuant to which such restricted stock units were granted, the closing price of the Common Stock on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on the preceding day is used for purposes of computing tax reporting and withholding.

(4) The reporting person's restricted stock units reported in this report vested on February 24, 2019. Pursuant to the Company's 2015 Amendment and Restatement of the 2006 Omnibus Award Plan, pursuant to which such restricted stock units were granted, the closing price of the Common Stock on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on the preceding day is used for purposes of computing tax reporting and withholding.

(5) On February 22, 2018, the reporting person was granted 2,840 restricted stock units, vesting in four annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. 25 percent of the restricted stock units became vested on February 22, 2019, an additional twenty-five percent of the restricted stock units will vest on February 22, 2020, an additional twenty-five percent of the restricted stock units will vest on February 22, 2021, and the remaining balance of twenty-five percent of the restricted stock units will vest on February 22, 2022.

(6) On February 23, 2017, the reporting person was granted 3,240 restricted stock units, vesting in four annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. 25 percent of the restricted stock units became vested on February 23, 2018, an additional 25 percent of the restricted stock units became vested on February 23, 2019, an additional 25 percent of the restricted stock units became vested on February 23, 2020, and the remaining balance of 810 shares of the restricted stock units will vest on February 23, 2021.

(7) On February 24, 2016, the reporting person was granted 3,500 restricted stock units, vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. 25 percent of the restricted stock units became vested on February 24, 2017, an additional 25

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percent of the restricted stock units became vested on February 24, 2018, an additional 25 percent of the restricted stock units became vested on February 24, 2019, and the remaining balance of 25 of the restricted stock units will vest on February 24, 2020.

Remarks:

Mr. Oseni is the Company's Head of Administration and Accounts

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