

Liberty Tax, Inc.
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Howard Robert M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1715 CORPORATE LANDING
PARKWAY

(Street)

VIRGINIA
BEACH,Â VAÂ 23454

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

09/18/2015

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
Liberty Tax, Inc. [TAX]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer ☐ Other
(give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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

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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)

Date Exercisable Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

Title Amount or Number of Shares

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:
Direct (D)
or Indirect (I)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

(Instr. 5)

Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	09/18/2016	09/18/2021	Class A Common Stock	8,480	\$ 23.09	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â <u>(1)</u>	Â <u>(1)</u>	Class A Common Stock	938	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Howard Robert M
1715 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY Â X Â Â Â
VIRGINIA BEACH,Â VAÂ 23454

Signatures

Robert M.
Howard 09/22/2015

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- (1) The restricted stock unit award was granted on September 18, 2015 and vests in full on September 18, 2016.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of Class A Common Stock.

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