Filby John D Form 4 February 13, 2018

Form 4 or

Form 5

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

(Month/Day/Year)

02/12/2018

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Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(D) or

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Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Filby John D Issuer Symbol DELUXE CORP [DLX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 3680 VICTORIA STREET N 02/12/2018 below) below) Sr. V.P., Financial Services (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SHOREVIEW, MN 55126 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Code

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(Instr. 8)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of

Amount

881

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

(D)

D

Price

70.2

(D)

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

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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Securities

Owned Following

Reported

21,401

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Beneficially

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. oriNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option	\$ 23.81					04/30/2013(2)	04/30/2019	Common Stock	2,285
Common Stock Option	\$ 67.08					02/12/2016(2)	02/12/2022	Common Stock	4,135
Common Stock Option	\$ 54.3					02/17/2017(2)	02/17/2023	Common Stock	14,057
Common Stock Option	\$ 75.61					02/23/2018(2)	02/23/2024	Common Stock	12,141

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Filby John D			Sr. V.P.,				
3680 VICTORIA STREET N			Financial				
SHOREVIEW, MN 55126			Services				
Signatures							
Todd C. Wylie as Power of Attorno	ey for John	D.	02/13/2018				
**Signature of Reporting Person	nn .		Date				

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Transaction reflects withholding of shares to satisfy tax liabilities associated with vesting of restricted stock. Total ownership includes 6,037 shares of restricted stock.
- Options vest in three equal installments on the three succeeding anniversary dates of the date of grant, provided the holder remains an employee of the Company. Date entered reflects date on which first installment vests(ed).

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