

HEWITT JOHN T
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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 *
HEWITT JOHN T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1716 CORPORATE LANDING
PARKWAY

(Street)

VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/29/2017

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)

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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	09/29/2017		M ⁽¹⁾	22,817 A	\$ 1,603,366	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/29/2017		F	7,553 ⁽³⁾ D	\$ 14.55	D	
Class A Common Stock					150,852.03	I	Individual Retirement Account

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	09/29/2017		M	22,817	(4) (4)	Class A Common Stock	22,817

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HEWITT JOHN T 1716 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454	X	X		

Signatures

John T. Hewitt 10/03/2017
 **Signature of Date
 Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- (1) Represents the conversion upon vesting of restricted stock units into Class A Common Stock. On December 9, 2016, the reporting person was granted 22,817 restricted stock units, of which all of the shares subject to the restricted stock units immediately vested on September 29, 2017 due to Reporting Person's severance package. Such restricted stock units were previously reported in Table II on the Form 4 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 13, 2016.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, upon vesting, one share of Class A Common Stock.
- (3) Reflects 7,553 shares withheld by Issuer at the market price of \$14.55 per share to fund the payment of taxes for the conversion.
- (4) The restricted stock unit award was granted on December 9, 2016 and vested in full on September 29, 2017 pursuant to Reporting Person's severance package.

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