LendingTree, Inc. Form 4 May 03, 2017

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEBDA DOUGLAS R

(Street)

(First) (Middle)

11115 RUSHMORE DR.

CHARLOTTE, NC 28277

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LendingTree, Inc. [TREE]

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

02/12/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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_X__ 10% Owner _X__ Director X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativo	e Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Transactior(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/12/2016		Code V $F_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 65	(D)	Price \$ 57.08		I	By spouse.
Common Stock	02/19/2016		F <u>(1)</u>	97	D	\$ 64.69	4,415	I	By spouse.
Common Stock	02/24/2016		A	644	A	\$ 0 (2)	5,059	I	By spouse.
Common Stock	02/29/2016		F(1)	64	D	\$ 84.48	4,995	I	By spouse.
Common Stock	02/19/2017		F <u>(1)</u>	97	D	\$ 112.95	4,898	I	By spouse.

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Common Stock	02/24/2017	F(1)	82	D	\$ 122.25	4,816	I	By spouse.
Common Stock	02/27/2017	F(1)	64	D	\$ 123.4	4,752	I	By spouse. $\underline{^{(3)}}$
Common Stock						636,896	D	
Common Stock						45,374	I	Through family trust.
Common Stock						1,000,000	I	Through Lebda Family Holdings, LLC. (4)

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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Under Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
LEBDA DOUGLAS R 11115 RUSHMORE DR. CHARLOTTE, NC 28277	X	X	Chairman & CEO						

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Signatures

/s/ Katharine F. Pierce as Attorney-in-Fact for Douglas R. Lebda

05/03/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Disposition by the spouse ("Spouse") of the reporting person to the Company to satisfy tax withholding requirements in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units; no shares were sold by Spouse.
- (2) These restricted stock units were granted to Spouse on February 24, 2016.
- (3) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the shares for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares in which he does not have a pecuniary interest, and this report shall not (4) be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose

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