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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement LendingTree, Inc. [TREE] Sharma Sushil (Month/Day/Year) 04/24/2019 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 11115 RUSHMORE DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) CHARLOTTE, NCÂ 28277 Form filed by More than One Chief Product Officer Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 5,969 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

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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)	•		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	10,910	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	3,492	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Options to Purchase Common Stock	(4)	07/30/2028	Common Stock	6,753	\$ 229.15	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
nopozonag o mioż z tamo (z zaużess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Sharma Sushil 11115 RUSHMORE DRIVE CHARLOTTE, NC 28277	Â	Â	Chief Product Officer	Â			

Signatures

/s/ Ryan S. Quinn as Attorney-in-Fact for Sushil Sharma

05/02/2019

**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 units vest on February 12, 2020. Vested restricted stock units will be settled in TREE common stock, the cash value thereof or a combination of cash and TREE common stock on the applicable vesting date.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of TREE common stock, the cash value thereof or a combination of cash and TREE common stock on the date of settlement, in the Company's discretion.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning July 30, 2019. Vested restricted stock units will be settled in TREE common stock, the cash value thereof or a combination of cash and TREE common stock on the applicable vesting date.
- (4) The options become exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning July 30, 2019.

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