Straubel Jeffrey B Form 4 March 28, 2019

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).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Straubel Jeffrey B

(First) (Middle)

C/O TESLA, INC., 3500 DEER **CREEK ROAD**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Tesla, Inc. [TSLA]

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

03/26/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Technical Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

PALO ALTO, CA 94304

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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)	Code (Instr. 8)	onor Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	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	03/26/2019		Code V M(1)	Amount 350	(D)	Price \$ 30.41	306,748	D	
Common Stock	03/26/2019		M(1)	7,191	A	\$ 28.45	313,939	D	
Common Stock	03/26/2019		M(1)	7,459	A	\$ 31.49	321,398	D	
Common Stock	03/26/2019		S(1)	400	D	\$ 264.66 (2)	320,998	D	
Common Stock	03/26/2019		S <u>(1)</u>	1,900	D	\$ 266.233 (3)	319,098	D	

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Common Stock	03/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	6,858	D	\$ 267.232 (4)	312,240	D
Common Stock	03/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	3,842	D	\$ 268.032 (5)	308,398	D
Common Stock	03/26/2019	S(1)	1,600	D	\$ 268.961 <u>(6)</u>	306,798	D
Common Stock	03/26/2019	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 269.888 <u>(7)</u>	306,398	D

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	o N o S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.45	03/26/2019		M	7,191	(8)	01/10/2021	Common Stock	,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.41	03/26/2019		M	350	12/12/2011 <u>(9)</u>	12/12/2021	Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.49	03/26/2019		M	7,459	(10)	02/13/2022	Common Stock	ı

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Straubel Jeffrey B C/O TESLA, INC. 3500 DEER CREEK ROAD PALO ALTO, CA 94304

Chief Technical Officer

Signatures

By: Aaron Beckman, Power of Attorney For: Jeffrey B. Straubel

03/28/2019

**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) The stock option exercise and sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a pre-determined Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 12, 2018.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$264.440 to \$264.880, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (3) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$265.690 to \$266.670, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$266.710 to \$267.700, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$267.730 to \$268.640, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$268.730 to \$269.620, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$269.770 to \$270.080, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 1,021 of the shares subject to the option became vested and exercisable on February 10, 2011 and 1/48th of the shares subject to the option became vested and exercisable each month thereafter such that all shares subject to the Option became fully vested and exercisable as of December 10, 2014.
- (9) 100% of the shares subject to the option are fully vested and exercisable as of the grant date.
- (10) 1/48th of the shares subject to the option vested on each monthly anniversary beginning on March 13, 2012, such that all shares subject to the Option became fully vested and exercisable as of December 13, 2015.

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