#### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kramer Robert Charles</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPIAN CORP [ APPN ]										k all applica	,		on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O APPIAN CORPORATION 11955 DEMOCRACY DRIVE, SUITE 1700						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/06/2018										X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  General Manager				
(Street) RESTON VA 20190 (City) (State) (Zip)					_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person												1		
1. Title of	Security (Ins		ıble I - No	2. Trans		n	2A. De	emed	Ť	3.		4. Securi	ities Acqu	ired (	A) or	5. Amoun				7. Nature of
, ,				Date (Month/Day/Yea		ear) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		- 1	Transac Code (II 8)	tion istr.	Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		3, 4 and 5)	Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	lly	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									ľ	Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)		Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a				(Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock				11/0	11/06/2018					M		10,00	00	A	<b>\$0</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0(1) 14,00		D		
Class A Common Stock				11/0	11/06/2018					<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		8,27	3 D \$26.		\$26.94(3)	5,7	5,727		D	
Class A Common Stock 11/0				11/0	6/201	/2018				<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		1,72	7	)	\$27.56(4)	4,0	4,000		D	
			Table II									osed o				wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	d Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)	ection	5. Number of		6. E		rcisa Date	able and	7. Title and Amount Securities Underlyin Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		mount of derlying curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Nu	nount or imber of lares					
Restricted Stock Unit	(5)	11/06/2018			M			10,000		(6)		(6)	Class A Common Stock	ı .	10,000	\$0	40,00	00	D	
Class B Common	(7)(8)									(7)(8)		(7)(8)	Class A	1 2,	512,598		2,512,5	598	I	See Footpote <sup>(9)</sup>

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") converts into Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.
- 2. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 8, 2017, as amended.
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$26.44 to \$27.44, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, 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).
- 4. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$27.45 to \$27.68, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, 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
- 5. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's Class A Common Stock (or its cash equivalent, at the discretion of the Issuer).
- 6. The RSUs were granted on October 25, 2017 and vest in five (5) equal annual installments commencing on November 6, 2018, provided that the Reporting Person has provided continuous service to the Issuer through the vesting date.
- 7. Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible at any time at the option of the holder into one share of Class A Common Stock and has no expiration date. In addition, each share of Class B Common Stock will convert automatically into one share of Class A Common Stock upon (1) any transfer, whether or not for value and whether voluntary or involuntary or by operation of law, except for certain transfers described in the Issuer's certificate of incorporation, including, without limitation, certain transfers for tax and estate planning purposes or (continued to Footnote (8))
- 8. (continued from Footnote (7)) (2) the death or disability, as defined in the Issuer's certificate of incorporation, of the applicable Class B common stockholder (or nine months after the date of death or disability if the stockholder is one of the Issuer's founders). In addition, on the first trading day following the date on which the outstanding shares of Class B Common Stock represent less than 10% of the aggregate voting power of the Issuer's then outstanding capital stock, all outstanding shares of Class B Common Stock shall convert automatically into Class A Common Stock, and no additional shares of Class B Common Stock will be issued.
- 9. The reported securities are owned directly by the Robert C. Kramer Revocable Trust (the "Trust"). The Reporting Person is the sole trustee and beneficiary of the Trust.

## Remarks:

/s/ Angela Patterson, Attorneyin-Fact

11/08/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

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### **POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Christopher Winters, Angela Patterson, Nicole Brookshire, Mark Ballantyne and Jason Minio, signing individually, the undersigned's true and lawful attorneys-in fact and agents to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer, director or beneficial owner of more than 10% of a registered class of securities of Appian Corporation, Forms 3, 4, and 5 (including any amendments thereto) in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") and the rules thereunder and a Form ID, Uniform Application for Access Codes to File on EDGAR;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned that may be necessary or desirable to execute such Forms 3, 4, or 5, or Form ID (including any amendments thereto) and timely file such forms with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority, including creating a new passphrase and generating new EDGAR access codes via the EDGAR filer manager website; and
- (3) take any other action of any nature whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is Appian Corporation assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the earliest to occur of (a) the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by Appian Corporation, (b) revocation by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact or (c) as to any attorney-in-fact individually, until such attorney-in-fact is no longer employed by Appian Corporation or Cooley LLP.

The undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of November 6, 2018.

/s/ Robert C. Kramer Robert C. Kramer General Manager and Director