FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Boccassam Prashanth | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPIAN CORP [APPN] | | | | | | | | | k all app Direc | all applicable) Director | | 10% O | wner |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O APPIAN CORPORATION 7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2020 | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title below) | | | Other (sp below) | | specify |
| (Street) MCLEAN VA 22102 | | | | 4. If A | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
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| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | | · | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 ar | and 5) Securi Benefi Owned | | ties Following (I) | | n: Direct or Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (111501.4) | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | 020 | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 1,213 | D | \$51.2 | 9(2) 68,9 | | 8,932 | | D | | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | 020 | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 980 | D | \$52.2 | 52.27 ⁽³⁾ | | 7,952 | | D | | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | 08/03/2020 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 807 | D | \$52.8 | \$52.82 ⁽⁴⁾ | | 7,145 | | D | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on March 10, 2020.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.70 to \$51.67, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to Appian Corporation, any security holder of Appian Corporation, 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 ranges set forth in footnotes (2) (4).
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$51.72 to \$52.70, inclusive.
- 4. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$52.72 to \$53.01, inclusive.

Remarks:

/s/ Angela Patterson, Attorney-in-Fact

08/04/2020

** 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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