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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Gibbons Peter W Issuer Symbol AMERICAN PUBLIC (Check all applicable) **EDUCATION INC [APEI]** (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 111 WEST CONGRESS STREET 03/01/2016 SVP, Chief Admin. Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 03/03/2016 Form filed by More than One Reporting CHARLES TOWN, WV 25414 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I. Non-Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Reneficially Ox

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	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, par value \$.01	03/01/2016		A <u>(1)</u>	1,188 (2)	A	\$ 0	17,926	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01	03/10/2016		F	153	D	\$ 21.06	17,773	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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Gibbons Peter W 111 WEST CONGRESS STREET CHARLES TOWN, WV 25414

SVP, Chief Admin. Officer

Signatures

/s/ Richard W. Sunderland, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact

04/05/2016

**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).
- Restricted Stock Unit Award pursuant to the American Public Education, Inc. 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Performance-based award reflects the achievement of a free cash flow performance measure for the issuer's fiscal year ended December 31, 2015. Award vests in three equal installments, with one third vesting on March 1, 2016, one third vesting on January 27, 2017 and one third vesting on January 27, 2018.
- The original Form 4 for the transaction, filed on March 3, 2016, is being amended due to a calculation error that resulted in the original (2) Form 4 reporting an incorrect number of Restricted Stock Units, and to directly reflect that the issuer withheld shares of Common Stock from the reporting person to pay tax withholding obligations related to the vesting of the Restricted Stock Units.

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