

DUN & BRADSTREET CORP/NW
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
VELDRAN RICHARD H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DUN & BRADSTREET CORP/NW [DNB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
103 JFK PARKWAY
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/02/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

SHORT HILLS, NJ 07078

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	03/02/2016		M		945 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 0	13,191.1422	D
Common Stock	03/02/2016		F		344 ⁽²⁾ D \$ 98.96	12,847.1422	D
Common Stock	03/03/2016		M		942 ⁽³⁾ A \$ 0	13,789.1422	D
Common Stock	03/03/2016		F		343 ⁽²⁾ D \$ 100.385	13,446.1422	D
Common Stock						1,044.8337 ⁽⁴⁾	I HELD IN ESPP

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Leveraged Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	03/02/2016		M	1,185 <u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u> 03/02/2018	Common Stock	945 <u>(1)</u>
Leveraged Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	03/03/2016		M	1,111 <u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u> 03/03/2017	Common Stock	942 <u>(3)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
VELDRAN RICHARD H 103 JFK PARKWAY SHORT HILLS, NJ 07078	Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Kristin R. Kaldor for Richard H. Veldran by POA previously filed

03/04/2016

**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).

(1)

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Represents the vesting and payout of the first tranche (1/3) of the leveraged restricted stock units (3,556) granted on March 2, 2015 at 79.8% of target based on the issuer's stock price performance during the performance period from 1/1/2015 -12/31/2015.

- (2) The reporting person made an irrevocable election in November 2015 to satisfy tax withholding obligations relating to the vesting of shares of Common Stock previously awarded through the deduction of shares from the vested amount.
- (3) Represents the vesting and payout of the second tranche (1/3) of the leveraged restricted stock units (3,334) granted on March 3, 2014 at 84.80% of target based on the issuer's stock price performance during the performance period from 1/1/2014 -12/31/2015.
- (4) Held in the issuer's employee stock purchase plan (ESPP) as of 3/4/2016.

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