Filby John D Form 4 August 02, 2017

### FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*\*
Filby John D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3680 VICTORIA STREET N

SHOREVIEW, MN 55126

(Street)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

DELUXE CORP [DLX]

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

07/31/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner \_\_X\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Sr. V.P., Financial Services

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y 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 Fransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	07/31/2017		M	26,491	A	\$ 23.81	46,154	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2017		M	21,900	A	\$ 38.8	68,054	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2017		M	12,372	A	\$ 50.32	80,426	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2017		M	8,270	A	\$ 67.08	88,696	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2017		M	7,028	A	\$ 54.3	95,724	D	

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Common Stock	07/31/2017	F	57,125	D	\$ 72.21	38,599	D
Common Stock	07/31/2017	S	18,936	D	\$ 72.21	19,663	D
Common Stock	07/31/2017	M	2,285	A	\$ 23.81	21,948	D
Common Stock	07/31/2017	F	1,493	D	\$ 72.2	20,455 (1)	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 of onDerivative Securities Acquired (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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Common Stock Option	\$ 23.81	07/31/2017		M		26,491	04/30/2013(2)	04/30/2019	Common Stock	26,49
Common Stock Option	\$ 23.81	07/31/2017		M		2,285	04/30/2013(2)	04/30/2019	Common Stock	2,28
Common Stock Option	\$ 38.8	07/31/2017		M		21,900	02/20/2014(2)	02/20/2020	Common Stock	21,90
Common Stock Option	\$ 50.32	07/31/2017		M		12,372	02/27/2015(2)	02/27/2021	Common Stock	12,37
Common Stock Option	\$ 67.08	07/31/2017		M		8,270	02/12/2016(2)	02/12/2022	Common Stock	8,270
Common Stock	\$ 54.3	07/31/2017		M		7,028	02/17/2017(2)	02/17/2023	Common Stock	7,028

Option

Common

Stock \$ 75.61

02/23/2018(2) 02/23/2024

Common Stock

12,14

Option

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Filby John D Sr. V.P., 3680 VICTORIA STREET N Financial SHOREVIEW, MN 55126 Services

**Signatures** 

J. Michael Schroeder as Power of Attorney for John D. Filby 08/02/2017

\*\*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) Total ownership includes 8,916 shares of restricted stock.
- Options vest in three equal installments on the three succeeding anniversary dates of the date of grant, provided the holder remains an employee of the Company. Date entered reflects date on which first installment vests(ed).

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