LendingTree, Inc. Form 4 March 09, 2017

## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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**SECURITIES** 

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*See* Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addre LEBDA DOUC	*	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LendingTree, Inc. [TREE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Cheek an applicable)			
11115 RUSHMORE DR.			(Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2017	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
CHARLOTTE, NC 28277				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Dei	rivative :	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction(A Code (I (Instr. 8)	Instr. 3, 4	spose	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	03/08/2017		S(1) 4	1,000	D	\$ 117.09	664,896	D	
Common Stock							45,374	I	Through Family Trust.
Common Stock							3,766	I	By Spouse.
Common Stock							1,000,000	I	Through Lebda Family

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
	•				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration	m: 1	or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
									of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LEBDA DOUGLAS R 11115 RUSHMORE DR. CHARLOTTE, NC 28277	X	X	Chairman & CEO					

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Katharine F. Pierce as Attorney-in-Fact for Douglas R. 03/09/2017 Lebda

> \*\*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).
- The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 6, **(1)**

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