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Instruction 1(b)

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FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address	1 0	Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Guidewire Software , Inc. [GWRE]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
<u>Polelle Michael</u>					Director	10% Owner			
(Last) 1001 E. HILLSDA	(First) LE BLVD.,	(Middle) SUITE 800	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/12/2018	X	Officer (give title below) Chief Delivery	Other (specify below) y Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	idual or Joint/Group Filir	ng (Check Applicable			
FOSTER CITY	CA	94404		X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	—		Form filed by More the Person	an One Reporting			

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. Transa Code (8)	ction	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 		(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code (8)		5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	tive ties red sed 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y			f g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Performance Shares	\$0.0	09/12/2018		A		3,000		(1)	09/12/2028	Common Stock	3,000	\$0.0	3,000	D	
Performance Shares	\$0.0	09/12/2018		A		2,000		(2)	09/12/2028	Common Stock	2,000	\$0.0	5,000	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.0	09/12/2018		A		5,000		(3)	09/12/2028	Common Stock	5,000	\$0.0	5,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The vesting of these Restricted Stock Units is subject to the satisfaction of both performance-based conditions and time-based criteria. The performance-based conditions will be satisfied if certain financial targets, determined by the Issuer, are met over the course of the Issuer's 2019 fiscal year. If the performance-based conditions for fiscal year 2019 are not met, then none of the shares will vest. If the performancebased conditions for fiscal year 2019 are achieved, as determined by the Issuer, then units will yest as the time-based criteria are satisfied. The time-based vesting criteria are as follows: 1/4th of the units vest on the one year anniversary of the vesting commencement date of September 15, 2018 and an additional 1/16th of the units will yest quarterly thereafter, subject to (1) the previously mentioned fiscal year 2019 performance-based conditions being met, and (2) the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer through each such vesting date.

2. Each Performance Restricted Stock Unit ("Performance RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock. Between 0% to 110% of the reported target number of Performance RSUs may be earned, based on the Company's total shareholder return percentile ranking relative to the software companies in the S&P Software and Services Select Industry Index for a three-year cumulative performance period commencing August 1, 2018 and ending July 31, 2021 (the "Performance Measurement Period"). All earned Performance RSUs will vest at the end of the Performance Measurement Period, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer through such vesting date.

3. The Restricted Stock Units vest as follows: 1/16th of the units vest quarterly commencing December 15, 2018, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer through each such vesting date.

<u>By: Winston King Attorney in</u> Fact For: Michael J. Polelle	09/13/2018
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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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).

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