RUBICON PROJECT, INC.

Form 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Patz Harry Jr

DRIVE, 4TH FL

(Last)

(First)

C/O THE RUBICON PROJECT,

(Street)

INC., 12181 BLUFF CREEK

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

08/02/2016

4. Relationship of Reporting

RUBICON PROJECT, INC. [RUBI]

Person(s) to Issuer

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. If Amendment, Date Original

(Check all applicable)

Director

10% Owner

_X__ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Chief Revenue Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

LOS ANGELES. CAÂ 90094

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

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(I)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

 $100,000^{(1)}$

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form: Direct (D)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

or Indirect

(Instr. 5) Â D

Common Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Security:

Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

> Price of Derivative

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	05/16/2026	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 14.31	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
• 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Patz Harry Jr C/O THE RUBICON PROJECT, INC. 12181 BLUFF CREEK DRIVE, 4TH FL LOS ANGELES Â CAÂ 90094	Â	Â	Chief Revenue Officer	Â	

Signatures

Jonathan Feldman, attorney-in-fact 08/02/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Represents restricted stock units that vest as follows: 25,000 RSUs on May 15, 2017 and 12,500 RSUs on each November 15 and May 15 thereafter until May 15, 2020.
- The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 40,000 shares, becomes exercisable with respect to 25% of the grant on April 4, 2017 and becomes exercisable with respect to the remainder in 36 equal installments each calendar month thereafter.

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