

Taslitz Steven
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 *
 Taslitz Steven

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 LAUREATE EDUCATION, INC.
 [LAUR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 07/20/2017

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

650 S. EXETER STREET, 12TH FLOOR

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Am Underlying Sec
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.2	07/20/2017	D ⁽¹⁾		756,368 <u>(2)</u> <u>(7)</u>		<u>(3)</u>	10/02/2023	Class B Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.44	07/20/2017	A ⁽¹⁾		756,368 <u>(2)</u> <u>(7)</u>		<u>(3)</u>	10/02/2023	Class B Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.36 <u>(5)</u>	07/20/2017	D ⁽¹⁾		114,790 <u>(2)</u> <u>(7)</u>		<u>(6)</u>	10/25/2026	Class B Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.44	07/20/2017	A ⁽¹⁾		114,790 <u>(2)</u> <u>(7)</u>		<u>(6)</u>	10/25/2026	Class B Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Taslitz Steven 650 S. EXETER STREET 12TH FLOOR BALTIMORE, MD 21202	X	X		

Signatures

/s/ M. Avi Epstein, attorney-in-fact for Steven M. Taslitz

07/24/2017

____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) The transactions reported herein reflect a one-time stock option repricing (the "Option Repricing") that became effective on July 20, 2017. Pursuant to the Option Repricing, the exercise price of each "Relevant Option" (any stock option awarded by Laureate Education, Inc. (the "Company") between October 2, 2013 and December 31, 2016 (inclusive)) has been amended to reduce such exercise price to

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\$17.44, which was the average closing price of a share of the Company's Class A common stock, par value \$0.004 per share ("Class A Common Stock"), as reported on the Nasdaq Global Select Market over the twenty (20) calendar days preceding July 20, 2017. There have been no other changes to the terms of the Relevant Options.

- (2) Pursuant to an agreement (the "Founders' Agreement") among Mr. Becker, Steven M. Taslitz, R. Christopher Hoehn-Saric and one other founder of Sterling (the "Sterling Founders"), the Sterling Founders share equally, on a net after-tax basis, in certain equity securities they receive in connection with services rendered by any of them to certain entities, including the Issuer. Each Sterling Founder controls the voting and disposition of the securities allocable to such Sterling Founder.

- (3) Represents an option to purchase shares of Class B Common Stock issued to Douglas L. Becker. The option is vested with respect to 641,764 of the underlying shares of the Company's Class B common stock, par value \$0.004 per share ("Class B Common Stock"), and will vest with respect to an additional 114,601 of such shares on December 31, 2017.

- (4) Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible into one share of Class A Common Stock upon the election of the holder or upon transfer, subject to the terms of the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation.

- (5) The exercise price of this stock option was previously reported as \$23.26.

- (6) The option will vest with respect to 114,790 of the underlying shares of Class B Common Stock on June 17, 2018.

- (7) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of the reporting person's pecuniary interest therein. The inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership by the reporting person of any securities reported herein for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise.

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