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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Larsen Jill

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

(Middle)

Medidata Solutions, Inc. [MDSO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

C/O MEDIDATA SOLUTIONS. INC., 350 HUDSON STREET, 9TH **FLOOR**

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/12/2019

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

EVP, Human Resources

(Street)

(State)

02/12/2019

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10014

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 3. Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(1)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Price (D) Amount 19,954

A

\$0 A

 $47,724 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$ D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (Performance Related)	\$ 0	02/12/2019		A	19,954	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	(3)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Larsen Jill C/O MEDIDATA SOLUTIONS, INC. 350 HUDSON STREET, 9TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10014

EVP, Human Resources

Signatures

/s/ Michael I. Otner, Attorney-in-Fact 02/14/2019

**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).
- Award of shares of restricted stock under the issuer's 2017 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "2017 LTIP") on February 12, 2019. The (1) restrictions will lapse with respect to one-fourth of the shares on each of February 12, 2020, February 12, 2021, February 12, 2022, and February 12, 2023.
- (2) Included are 174 shares which were purchased pursuant to the terms of the Medidata Solutions, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on December 31, 2018.

Award of PBRSUs under the 2017 LTIP on February 12, 2019. The number of PBRSUs represents a target amount. Each PBRSU represents a contingent right to receive 0-225% of that target number of shares of the issuer's common stock, (i) 50% based on the issuer's TSR as compared to the TSR of companies in the Russell 2000 Index for the three years ending December 31, 2021, and (ii) 50% based on the Company's revenue attainment for the three years ending December 31, 2021. The shares will vest immediately upon being earned.

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