

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Straubel Jeffrey B</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O TESLA, INC. 3500 DEER CREEK ROAD  (Street) PALO ALTO CA 94304  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Tesla, Inc. [ TSLA ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Technical Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>04/26/2019</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	04/26/2019		M <sup>(1)</sup>		15,000	A	\$31.49	321,398	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		800	D	\$232.008 <sup>(2)</sup>	320,598	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		700	D	\$232.75 <sup>(3)</sup>	319,898	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		1,100	D	\$234.099 <sup>(4)</sup>	318,798	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		2,500	D	\$234.87 <sup>(5)</sup>	316,298	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		700	D	\$236.021 <sup>(6)</sup>	315,598	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$236.81 <sup>(7)</sup>	315,398	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		500	D	\$238.392 <sup>(8)</sup>	314,898	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$239.46 <sup>(9)</sup>	314,598	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		1,000	D	\$240.724 <sup>(10)</sup>	313,598	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		2,100	D	\$241.695 <sup>(11)</sup>	311,498	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		2,500	D	\$242.634 <sup>(12)</sup>	308,998	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		1,700	D	\$243.755 <sup>(13)</sup>	307,298	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		800	D	\$244.563 <sup>(14)</sup>	306,498	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2019		s <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$245.46	306,398	D	

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

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	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						Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$31.49	04/26/2019		M			15,000	(15)	02/13/2022	Common Stock	15,000	\$0.0	20,048	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The stock option exercise and sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a pre-determined Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 12, 2018.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$231.380 to \$232.240, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$232.420 to \$233.200, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

4. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$233.490 to \$234.480, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
5. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$234.490 to \$235.450, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
6. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$235.680 to \$236.570, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
7. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$236.690 to \$236.930, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
8. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$238.010 to \$238.890, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
9. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$239.110 to \$239.860, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
10. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$240.250 to \$241.090, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
11. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$241.250 to \$242.230, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
12. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$242.250 to \$243.240, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
13. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$243.300 to \$244.290, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
14. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$244.310 to \$245.200, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Tesla, Inc., any security holder of Tesla, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
15. 1/48th of the shares subject to the option vested on each monthly anniversary beginning on March 13, 2012, such that all shares subject to the Option became fully vested and exercisable as of December 13, 2015.

By: Aaron Beckman, Power of  
Attorney For: Jeffrey B. Straubel      04/30/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person      Date

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).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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