Guidewire Software, Inc. Form 4 December 17, 2015

# FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Polelle Michael			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Guidewire Software, Inc. [GWRE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
1001 E. HILLSDALE BLVD., SUITE 800			(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2015	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Delivery Officer		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
FOSTER CITY, CA 94404			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	12/15/2015		Code V M	Amount 1,875	(D)	Price \$ 0	1,875	D	
Common Stock	12/15/2015		M	531	A	\$ 0	2,406	D	
Common Stock	12/15/2015		F <u>(1)</u>	841	D	\$ 58.32	1,565	D	

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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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	12/15/2015		M	1,875	<u>(2)</u>	06/04/2024	Common Stock	1,875
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	12/15/2015		M	531	(3)	09/03/2025	Common Stock	531

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Polelle Michael

1001 E. HILLSDALE BLVD., SUITE 800 Chief Delivery Officer

FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

## **Signatures**

By: Winston King Attorney in Fact For: Michael J.
Polelle
12/17/2015

\*\*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) Shares withheld by Issuer to cover taxes associated with settlement of Restricted Stock Units.
- The Restricted Stock Units vest as follows: 1/4th of the units vest on the one year anniversary of the vesting commencement date of June (2) 15, 2014 and an additional 1/16th of the units vest quarterly thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer through each such vesting date.
- (3) The grant consists of two separate issuances of Restricted Stock Units. One issuance consists of 8,500 units which vest as follows: 1/16th of the units vest quarterly commencing December 15, 2015, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer. The second issuance consists of 8,500 units, for which vesting 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 for FY2016, determined by the Issuer, are met. The time-based criteria are as follows: 1/4th of the units vest on the one year anniversary of the vesting commencement date of September 15, 2015 and an additional 1/16th of the units will vest quarterly thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer.

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Both performance-based conditions and time-based criteria must be met for vesting to occur.

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