

RICE LINDA JOHNSON

Form 4

January 09, 2019

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RICE LINDA JOHNSON

(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
Tesla, Inc. [TSLA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/07/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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☐ 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(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or (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)
			Code	V	Amount	Price	
Common Stock	01/07/2019		M ⁽¹⁾		1,700	A \$ 319.57	1,700 D
Common Stock	01/07/2019		S ⁽¹⁾		1,700	D \$ 321.6 0	D

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 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 319.57	01/07/2019		M	1,700	<u>(2)</u> 07/17/2024	Common Stock 1,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
RICE LINDA JOHNSON C/O TESLA, INC. 3500 DEER CREEK ROAD PALO ALTO, CA 94304	X

Signatures

By: Aaron Beckman, Power of Attorney For: Linda J Rice 01/09/2019

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) The stock option exercise and sale reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 19, 2018.

(2) 100% of the shares granted became vested and exercisable as of June 18, 2018.

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