MICROSTRATEGY INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rennyson David J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MICROSTRATEGY INC [MSTR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(Instr. 3)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

C/O MICROSTRATEGY **INCORPORATED, 1850 TOWERS**

(First)

CRESCENT PLAZA

(Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2017

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

SEVP, Worldwide Sales

(Check all applicable)

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

Applicable Line)

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

TYSONS CORNER, VA 22182

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

4. Securities 3. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities

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

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Code

Following Reported

Beneficially

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Owned

Code V Amount (D) Price

Disposed of (D)

(A)

or

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Conversion

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities**

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8	3)	Securities 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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 189.16	03/08/2017		A		20,000		<u>(1)</u>	03/08/2027	Class A Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rennyson David J C/O MICROSTRATEGY INCORPORATED 1850 TOWERS CRESCENT PLAZA TYSONS CORNER, VA 22182

SEVP, Worldwide Sales

Signatures

/s/ David J. Rennyson 03/10/2017

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) This option vests as to 5,000 shares on the first anniversary of the grant date, and as to an additional 5,000 shares on each anniversary thereafter until the option is vested in full.

Mr. Rennyson also directly owns an employee stock option to purchase 70,000 shares of Class A common stock with (i) an exercise price of \$165.01 per share and (ii) an expiration date of February 2, 2025. Of the 70,000 shares subject to this option, 17,500 shares vested on February 2, 2016, 17,500 shares vested on February 2, 2017, 17,500 shares are scheduled to vest on February 2, 2018 and 17,500 shares are scheduled to vest on February 2, 2019.

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