FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Green David Lawrence					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [ GPN ]										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 3550 LENOX I	(First)	(Mi	ddle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2021								X	Officer (g below) Senior	•		Other (specify below)	
(Street) ATLANTA (City)	GA (State)	30 (Zi	326		4. If <i>A</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Ta	ble I - Noi	n-Der	ivativ	e Se	curitie	s Aca	uired.	Dist	osed of.	or I	Benefi	cially Ov	/ned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date				nsaction 2 h/Day/Year) i		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securit		ties Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar		) or	5. Amount Securities Beneficiall Following	Amount of ecurities eneficially Owned ollowing Reported		nership Direct (D) irect (I) 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 08/03					03/2021				<b>A</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		36,510	0	A	\$169.57	106,040			D	
Common Stock 08/03				/03/2021				F <sup>(2)</sup>		8,234		D	\$169.57	97,806(3)		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 Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		te Securities Underl		derlying curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti	e s lly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	(A) (D)		Date Exercis	Expiration Sable Date		Title	,	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares of restricted common stock issued as a result of the vesting of performance-based synergy units which were originally granted on September 18, 2019 as a non-recurring, supplemental award and were earned based on the company's achievement of pre-established goals related to the TSYS merger. Half of the earned synergy units vested August 3, 2021 and the remaining half will vest on August 3, 2022.
- $2. \ Represents the \ disposition \ of \ shares \ to \ the \ company \ to \ cover \ taxes \ on \ the \ vesting \ of \ awards.$
- 3. Includes shares from Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

/s/ David L. Green

08/05/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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