FORM 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Cortopassi Robert M			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2024	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [GPN]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	_		tionship of Reporting Person(all applicable)	,	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
3550 LENOX	ROAD			X	Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
(Street) ATLANTA	GA	30326		President and (COO	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	` ` '	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	l '
Common Stock	36,061	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	l		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		Conversion or Exercise	Form: Direct (D) or	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Indirect (I) Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	03/01/2034	Common Stock	12,174	130.09	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents unvested options to purchase shares of common stock, which were granted to the reporting person as compensation. The stock options will vest in equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.

/s/ David L. Green, attorney-in-fact for Robert M. Cortopassi

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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 $^{^{\}star}$ If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

POWER OF ATTORNEY EXHIBIT 24

Know all by these present, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of David L. Green and Dara Steele-Belkin, signing singly, to act as the undersigned?s true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4 and 5 relating to shares of Global Payments Inc., in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete the execution of any such Form 3, 4 or 5 and the timely filing of such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any other authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in his discretion.

The undersigned grants to such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary and proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as such attorney-in-fact might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or his substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorney-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming any of the undersigned?s responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 31st day of July, 2024.

/s/ Robert M. Cortopassi Robert M. Cortopassi