

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Poelle Michael</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 E. HILLSDALE BLVD., SUITE 800  (Street) FOSTER CITY CA 94404  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Guidewire Software, Inc. [ GWRE ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Delivery Officer
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2017	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person 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 Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/15/2017		M		4,063	A	\$0.0	5,313	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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Shares	\$0.0	12/15/2017		M			797	(1)	09/03/2025	Common Stock	797	\$0.0	5,581	D	
Performance Shares	\$0.0	12/15/2017		M			192	(2)	09/13/2026	Common Stock	192	\$0.0	4,039 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.0	12/15/2017		M			1,875	(4)	06/04/2024	Common Stock	1,875	\$0.0	3,750	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.0	12/15/2017		M			531	(1)	09/03/2025	Common Stock	531	\$0.0	3,719	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.0	12/15/2017		M			312	(2)	09/13/2026	Common Stock	312	\$0.0	3,438	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.0	12/15/2017		M			356	(5)	09/12/2027	Common Stock	356	\$0.0	5,344	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- 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 12,755 units, for which vesting was subject to the satisfaction of both performance-based conditions and time-based criteria. The performance-based conditions were previously deemed by the Issuer's Board of Directors to have been met and exceeded, and the time-based vesting criteria are as follows: 1/4th of the units vested 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.
- The grant consists of three separate issuances of Restricted Stock Units, each with vesting subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer. The first is 5,000 units vesting as follows: 1/16th of the units vest quarterly commencing December 15, 2016. The second is 3,076 units, for which vesting was subject to the satisfaction of both performance-based conditions and time-based criteria. The performance-based conditions were deemed met and exceeded by the Issuer's Board of Directors, and the time-based vesting criteria are as follows: 1/4th of the units vested on September 15, 2017 and an additional 1/16th of the units will vest quarterly thereafter. The third consists of units for which vesting will be determined based on the Issuer's total shareholder return percentile ranking relative to a set peer group, over a three year period ending on July 31, 2019.
- The number of shares reported in Column 9 of Table II represents the 2016 Performance Stock Unit ("PSU") and the Total Shareholder Return grants less the number of PSU shares vested as of this Transaction Date.
- 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 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.
- The Restricted Stock Units vest as follows: 1/16th of the units vest quarterly commencing December 15, 2017, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer through each such vesting date.

By: Winston King Attorney in Fact For: Michael J. Poelle 12/15/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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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