

Ossenfort Nicole  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Ossenfort Nicole			(Month/Day/Year)		Liberty Tax, Inc. [TAX]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	12/14/2017		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
1716 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY					5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street)					(Check all applicable)	
VIRGINIA					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
BEACH,Â VAAÂ 23454					_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

(Instr. 5)

Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	12/14/2018	12/14/2022	Class A Common Stock	14,069	\$ 10.9	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â (2)	Â (2)	Class A Common Stock	1,988	\$ (1)	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ossenfort Nicole 1716 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454	Â X	Â	Â	Â

## Signatures

Nicole Ossenfort 12/18/2017

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).

(1) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of Class A Common Stock.

(2) The restricted stock unit award was granted on December 14, 2017 and vests in full on December 14, 2018.

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