RUBICON PROJECT, INC.

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FRANKENBERG ROBERT J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

RUBICON PROJECT, INC. [RUBI]

(Check all applicable)

C/O THE RUBICON PROJECT.

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2015

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

INC., 12181 BLUFF CREEK DRIVE, 4TH FLOOR

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

LOS ANGELES, CA 90094

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

> (A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 05/13/2015 Stock

A

4,886 \$0 (1) (2)

26,169 D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.91	05/13/2015		A	11,759	(3)	05/13/2025	Common Stock	11,759

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
- The same of the	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FRANKENBERG ROBERT J C/O THE RUBICON PROJECT, INC. 12181 BLUFF CREEK DRIVE, 4TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90094	X					

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan Feldman,
attorney-in-fact 05/15/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Represents restricted stock units that vest in full on the earliest of (i) May 13, 2016, (ii) the date of the next Annual Meeting of the Issuer's stockholders, or (iii) a change of control of the Issuer.
- (2) Granted as compensation for services.
- (3) The stock options vest in full on the earliest of (i) May 13, 2016, (ii) the date of the next Annual Meeting of the Issuer's stockholders, or (iii) a change of control of the Issuer.

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