Anderman Sigmund Form 4 March 07, 2013

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting P Anderman Sigmund	erson *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)
(Last) (First) (M	ddle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)
C/O ELLIE MAE, INC., 4155 HOPYARD ROAD, SUITE 2	00	(Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2013	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
PLEASANTON, CA 94588		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/05/2013(1)		M	1,850	A	\$ 1.38	1,850	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2013(1)		S	1,850	D	\$ 22	0	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2013(1)		M	10,650	A	\$ 1.38	10,650	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2013(1)		S	10,650	D	\$ 22	0	D	
Common Stock							66,296	I	AFF CRT

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Common Stock	10,000	I	by 401(k) Plan
Common Stock	436,841	I	by Trust (3)

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

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#### 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Secur Acqu or Di (D)	rities hired (A) asposed of c. 3, 4,	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securi
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sl
Performance Shares	\$ 1.38	03/05/2013(1)		M		1,850	<u>(4)</u>	08/23/2017(4)	Common Stock	1,8
Performance Shares	\$ 1.38	03/06/2013(1)		M		10,650	<u>(4)</u>	08/23/2017 <u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	10,

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Anderman Sigmund C/O ELLIE MAE, INC. 4155 HOPYARD ROAD, SUITE 200 PLEASANTON, CA 94588	X		Chief Executive Officer				

# **Signatures**

/s/ Sigmund Anderman	03/06/2013		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

2 Reporting Owners

### **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) The exercise and sale of these stock options was completed pursuant to the Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Sigmund Anderman.
- (2) These shares are held by the AFF Charitable Remainder Trust, of which the reporting person and his wife are trustees. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares except to the extent of his and his wife's pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) These shares are held by Sigmund Anderman, Trustee of the Sigmund and Susan Anderman Family Trust dated March 3, 2006.
  - Option vests in one or more installments upon the achievement of certain performance-based goals related to the per share valuation of the common stock of the Issuer. A pre-determined number of shares subject to the option will vest upon the achievement of a per share valuation of the common stock of the Issuer at certain specified levels by virtue of (i) the price paid for such common stock in a sale of
- (4) the Issuer as reasonably determined by the Board of Directors of the Issuer or (ii) the closing price of such common stock on a U.S. national exchange over a period of at lease 20 consecutive trading days. Additional details regarding the aforementioned vesting parameters are provided in the Issuer's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (Commission File No. 333-166438) under "Management Executive Compensation Outstanding Equity Awards at 2010 Fiscal Year-End".
- (5) The reported transaction is a grant of a derivative security, in which we have left column 8 blank, and have reported the exercise or conversion price of the derivative security in column 2.

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