TESLA MOTORS INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jurvetson Stephen T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TESLA MOTORS INC [TSLA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O DRAPER FISHER JURVETSON, 2882 SAND HILL

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

ROAD SUITE 150

(Month/Day/Year)

06/12/2015

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

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

MENLO PARK, CA 94025

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorDerivative **Expiration Date** Conversion

7. Title and Amour

Underlying Securit

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and	4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 250.69	06/12/2015		A	12,000	<u>(1)</u>	06/12/2022	Common Stock	12,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Jurvetson Stephen T C/O DRAPER FISHER JURVETSON 2882 SAND HILL ROAD SUITE 150 MENLO PARK, CA 94025



Signatures

By: Todd Maron by power of attorney For: Stephen T.

Jurvetson

06/16/2015

**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).

This stock option award is a triennial equity award granted pursuant to the Company's 2010 Equity Incentive Plan and Outside Director (1) Compensation Policy. 1/36th of the shares granted shall become vested and exercisable as of each monthly anniversary beginning on July 12, 2015, such that all shares subject to the Option shall be fully vested and exercisable by June 12, 2018.

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