

McNeill Jon  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
McNeill Jon

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O TESLA, INC, 3500 DEER  
CREEK ROAD

(Street)

PALO ALTO, CA 94304

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
Tesla, Inc. [TSLA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/05/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

President, WW Sales/Service

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 or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (D)	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	Price		
Common Stock	09/05/2017		M <sup>(1)</sup>		530	\$ 0	2,269	D
Common Stock	09/05/2017		M <sup>(1)</sup>		523	\$ 0	2,792	D
Common Stock	09/06/2017		F <sup>(2)</sup>		278	\$ 349.65	2,514	D
Common Stock	09/06/2017		F <sup>(2)</sup>		275	\$ 349.65	2,239	D

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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	09/05/2017		M		523	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	523	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	09/05/2017		M		530	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	530	\$ 0

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
McNeill Jon C/O TESLA, INC 3500 DEER CREEK ROAD PALO ALTO, CA 94304	President, WW Sales/Service

## Signatures

By: Aaron Beckman, Power of Attorney For: Jon  
McNeill

09/07/2017

\_\_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) Shares of the Issuer's common stock were issued to the reporting person upon the vesting of restricted stock units on September 5, 2017.

PURSUANT TO THE ISSUER'S EQUITY PLAN AND POLICIES, THESE SHARES OF COMMON STOCK WERE

(2) AUTOMATICALLY WITHHELD AND SOLD BY THE ISSUER TO SATISFY THE REPORTING PERSON'S TAX  
WITHHOLDING OBLIGATIONS RELATED TO THE VESTING OF RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS REPORTED HEREIN.

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- (3) 523 of the restricted units included in this grant vested on September 5, 2017 and the remaining 3,656 will commence vesting in fourteen equal quarterly installments beginning December 5, 2017.
- (4) 1,060 of the restricted units included in this grant vested on December 5, 2016 and the remaining 7,420 commenced vesting in fourteen equal quarterly installments beginning March 5, 2017.

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