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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Bonakdarpour Mahtiyar | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Root, Inc. [ROOT] | | tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director | 10% Owner | | | |
|---|---------------|----------|--|--|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| (Last) C/O ROOT, IN | (First) C. | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2023 | X | Officer (give title below) Chief Technology | Other (specify below) Officer | | | |
| 80 E. RICH STREET, SUITE 500 | |) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicat Line) | | | | | |
| | | | | X | Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (Street) COLUMBUS | ОН | 43215 | | | Form filed by More thar Person | n One Reporting | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication | | | | | | |
| | | | Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. | | | | | | |

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) | Transaction | | 4. Securities Disposed Of 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) | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 11/01/2023 | | F | | 67 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$8.85 | 288,784 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 11/01/2023 | | F | | 246(1) | D | \$8.85 | 288,538 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 11/01/2023 | | F | | 83(1) | D | \$8.85 | 288,455 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | | | | 168,444 ⁽²⁾ | Ι | See Footnote |

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. Transa Code (8) | action | of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|--------|-----|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares of common stock were withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations associated with the vesting of restricted stock units.

2. These shares are held by Drive Capital Overdrive Fund I, L.P. ("DCOF I") (112,469), Drive Capital Overdrive Fund I (TE), L.P. ("DCOF I TE") (54,382), and Drive Capital Overdrive Ignition Fund I, L.P. ("DCOF I") (1,593). Drive Capital Overdrive Fund I (GP), LLC ("DCOF I GP"), the general partner of each of DCOF I, DCOF I TE and DEOIF I, may be deemed to have sole power to vote these shares. The Reporting Person's spouse does not have voting or investment control over these shares but may be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest in such shares through her carried interest in DCOIF I GP. The Reporting Person's exact pecuniary interest is subject to several variables. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any of these shares except to the extent of his spouse's pecuniary interest therein.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Jodi Baker, Attorney-in-</u>

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11/03/2023

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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