FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Bonakdarpour Mahtiyar | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Root, Inc. [ROOT] | | tionship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director Officer (give title | son(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------|--|---|
| | Last) (First) (Middle) 2/O ROOT, INC. 0 E. RICH STREET, SUITE 500 | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2022 | | below) Chief Technology | below) y Officer |
| (Street) COLUMBUS OH 43215 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | ridual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More than Person | orting 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) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar 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) | |
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| | | | Code | v | Amount (A) or (D) | | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (11150. 4) |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/01/2022 | | F | | 2,952 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$1.05 | 4,790,952 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/01/2022 | | F | | 990 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$1.05 | 4,789,962 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/01/2022 | | F | | 801(1) | D | \$1.05 | 4,789,161 | D | |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| | (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Title o Derivativ Security (Instr. 3) | | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of | | 6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y | 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.

Remarks:

/s/ Jodi Baker, Attorney-in-

fact

08/03/2022

** 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).

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