

DELTA AIR LINES INC /DE/
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Bastian Edward H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DELTA AIR LINES INC /DE/
[DAL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O DELTA AIR LINES, INC.,
DEPT. 981, P.O. BOX 20574

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/06/2014

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

ATLANTA,, GA 30320

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/06/2014		A	(1)	113,306	A	(1)	465,348	D
Common Stock	02/06/2014		F	(2)	54,659	D	\$ 30.89	410,689	D
Common Stock	02/06/2014		A	(3)	64,750	A	(3)	475,439	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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.1	02/06/2014		A	106,160	02/06/2014	02/01/2022	Common Stock	106,160
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.86	02/06/2014		A	125,000	02/06/2014	02/01/2023	Common Stock	125,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bastian Edward H C/O DELTA AIR LINES, INC., DEPT. 981 P.O. BOX 20574 ATLANTA,, GA 30320	X		President	

Signatures

/s/ Jan M. Davidson as attorney-in-fact for Edward H. Bastian

02/07/2014

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- Settlement of performance awards granted under Delta's 2012 long-term incentive program which were earned effective February 6,
- (1) 2014. The grant of the performance awards was approved by the Personnel & Compensation Committee of Delta's Board of Directors (the "Committee") and is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 under Rule 16b-3(d).
 - (2) Shares withheld for payment of tax liability upon settlement of the performance awards earned under Delta's 2012 long-term incentive program. This withholding was approved by the Committee and is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

under Rules 16b-3(d)(1) and 16b-3(e).

The Committee granted Mr. Bastian 64,750 shares of restricted common stock under Delta's 2014 long-term incentive program. Subject to the terms of the award, the restrictions on the shares will lapse in three equal annual installments on February 1, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

- (3) Until the restrictions lapse, Mr. Bastian may not sell or transfer the shares, which will be subject to forfeiture in certain circumstances. This grant was approved by the Committee and is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 under Rule 16b-3(d).

On February 2, 2012, the Committee granted Mr. Bastian an option to purchase 159,240 shares of common stock. The option vests based on Delta's satisfaction of certain performance criteria. Because the performance criteria were met, the option as to 53,080 shares vested,

- (4) and the option for the remaining 53,080 shares will vest on February 1, 2015, generally subject to continued employment on that date. The performance criteria was certified by the Committee on February 6, 2014. This grant was approved by the Committee and is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 under Rule 16b-3(d).

On February 7, 2013, the Committee granted Mr. Bastian an option to purchase 125,000 shares of common stock. The option vests based on Delta's satisfaction of certain performance criteria. Because the performance criteria were met, the option as to 41,667 shares vested,

- (5) and the option for the remaining 83,333 shares will vest in equal installments on February 1, 2015 and February 1, 2016. The performance criteria was certified by the Committee on February 6, 2014. This grant was approved by the Committee and is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 under Rule 16b-3(d).

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