FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

OMB APPROVAL
OMB Number: 3235-0287
Estimated average burden
hours per response: 0.5

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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 [*] COPPLE BRIAN W				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RUBICON PROJECT, INC.</u> [RUBI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issu (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owne				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE RUBICON PROJECT, INC.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2016						Officer (give title Other below) Other below Other bel		,		
12181 BLUFF CREEK DRIVE, 4TH FLOOR			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Indi Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)									X	Form filed by One	e Reporting Per	rson		
LOS ANGELES CA 90094										Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (Z	ïp)												
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Da			Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
					Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Following Reported Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		

							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)		
Common Stock			11/15/2	2016	F ⁽¹⁾		4,750	D	\$7.72	13	31,100	Ι	Through the Copple family trust		
	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)			Amount of Securities Duderlying S		Price rivative curity str. 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)

Date

Exercisable

Expiration

Date

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares withheld by the issuer to cover the reporting person's tax liability incurred upon the vesting of the reporting person's restricted shares.

Code

V (A) (D)

Remarks:

/s/ Jonathan Feldman, attorney-in-fact

Amount or Number

of

Shares

Title

11/17/2016

** 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.