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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

 **HERSKOVITS THOMAS** 

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

10/15/2015

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Liberty Tax, Inc. [TAX]

(Check all applicable)

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

1716 CORPORATE LANDING **PARKWAY** 

(Street)

\_X\_ Director Officer

10% Owner Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

**VIRGINIA** BEACH. VAÂ 23454

(City)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form: Direct (D)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Title Amount or Derivative Security

Security: Direct (D) or Indirect

(I)

|                                       |            |            |                            |       |               | (Instr. 5) |   |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|----------------------------|-------|---------------|------------|---|
| Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy) | 10/15/2016 | 10/15/2021 | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 9,027 | \$ 22.18      | D          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units                | (1)        | (1)        | Class A Common             | 977   | \$ <u>(2)</u> | D          | Â |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                      | Relationships      |     |         |       |  |
|---|--------------------|-----|---------|-------|--|
|   | Director 10% Owner |     | Officer | Other |  |
| HERSKOVITS THOMAS<br>1716 CORPORATE LANDING PARKWAY | âχ                 | Â   | Â       | â     |  |
| VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23454                            | 71 71              | 7 1 | 11      | 71    |  |

# **Signatures**

Thomas
Herskovits

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

To/16/2015

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The restricted stock unit award was granted on October 15, 2015 and vests in full on October 15, 2016.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of Class A Common Stock.

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