

EPLUS INC  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
HOVDE ERIC D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

122 W. WASHINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 350

(Street)

MADISON, WI 53703

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
EPLUS INC [PLUS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/18/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/18/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>	7,165 D \$ 69.21	214,205	I	Footnote (3)
Common Stock	11/19/2014		S <sup>(4)</sup>	200 D \$ 69	214,005	I	Footnote (5)
Common Stock					296,510	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)

Table with columns for Title of Derivative Security, Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, Transaction Date, Deemed Execution Date, Transaction Code, Number of Derivative Securities Acquired or Disposed of, Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, and Price of Derivative Security.

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for HOVDE ERIC D at 122 W. WASHINGTON AVENUE SUITE 350 MADISON, WI 53703, marked as Director (X).

Signatures

Eric D. Hovde 11/20/2014
Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.
(1) Mr. Hovde is the managing member of Hovde Capital, Ltd., the general partner to Financial Institution Partners III, L.P. ("FIP III"). On November 18, 2014, FIP III sold 7,165 shares of the common stock of ePlus inc (the "Shares") at prices ranging from \$69.00 to \$69.45.
(2) Mr. Hovde, the reporting person, undertakes to provide upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, ePlus, or a security holder of ePlus, full information regarding the number of Shares sold at each separate price.
(3) Mr. Hovde is the managing member of Hovde Capital, Ltd., the general partner to FIP III, which, after the transaction reported on this line, owns 183,940 Shares. Mr. Hovde is a trustee of The Eric D. and Steven D. Hovde Foundation, which owns 30,265 Shares.
(4) On November 19, 2014, FIP III sold 200 Shares at prices in the range of \$69.00 to \$69.00.
(5) Mr. Hovde is the managing member of Hovde Capital, Ltd., the general partner to FIP III, which, after the transactions reported on this line, owns 183,740 Shares. Mr. Hovde is a trustee of The Eric D. and Steven D. Hovde Foundation, which owns 30,265 Shares.

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