DUNLAP MICHAEL S

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DUNLAP MICHAEL S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NELNET INC [NNI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Shoon an approacte)		
121 SOUTH 1 100	3TH STREE	T, SUITE	(Month/Day/Year) 11/27/2017	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Chairman of Board		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LINCOLN, NE 68508				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non	-De	rivative Se	curiti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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)	
CI D			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 3 and 4)		
Class B Common Stock	11/27/2017		G	V	1,000	D	\$0	364,375 (1)	I	By spouse
Class B Common Stock	11/27/2017		G	V	1,000	A	\$0	1,116,222 (2)	D	
Class A Common Stock	12/11/2017		G(3)(4)	V	52,675	D	\$ 0	0	I	By spouse
Class B Common								909,920 (5)	I	By GRAT

Stock			
Class B Common Stock	426,769 (6)	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	494,464 <u>(7)</u>	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	353,785 (8)	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	412,925 (9)	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	1,586,691 (10)	I	By corporation
Class B Common Stock	403,907 (11)	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	476,494 (12)	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	496,125 (13)	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	367,546 (14)	I	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	434,632 (15)	Ι	By GRAT
Class B Common Stock	456,921 (16)	I	By GRAT
Class A Common Stock	2,099,574	D	
Class A Common Stock	4,160	I	By adult son
Class A Common Stock	1,983	I	As UTMA custodian for son

Class A Common Stock	1,215	I	As UTMA custodian for son
Class B Common Stock	125,000 (17)	I	By Dynasty Trust
Class B Common Stock	125,000 (18)	I	By Dynasty Trust
Class B Common Stock	125,000 (19)	I	By Dynasty Trust
Class B Common Stock	151,209 (20)	I	By trust
Class B Common Stock	151,210 (21)	I	By trust
Class B Common Stock	151,209 (22)	I	By trust
Class B Common Stock	100	I	By adult son
Class B Common Stock	100	I	By son
Class B Common Stock	100	I	By son

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	re	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	S	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired				Follo
					(A) or				Repo

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable

Expiration Title Amount Date

or Number

of Shares

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DUNLAP MICHAEL S 121 SOUTH 13TH STREET SUITE 100 LINCOLN, NE 68508

X X Executive Chairman of Board

Signatures

/s/ Audra Hoffschneider, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael S. Dunlap

12/22/2017

**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. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- **(1)** Includes shares distributed to the reporting person's spouse by grantor retained annuity trusts as discussed in footnotes (11) through (16).
- **(2)** Includes shares distributed to the reporting person by grantor retained annuity trusts as discussed in footnotes (5) through (9).
- **(3)** This gift was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan that was entered into by the reporting person's spouse on November 10, 2017.
 - Rule 10b5-1, promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, allows executives of a company and their family members who are not in possession of material non-public information to establish pre-arranged plans to buy, sell, or otherwise transfer a specified
- number of shares of such company's stock. Once a plan is established, the executive or family member does not retain or exercise any **(4)** discretion over transfers of stock under the plan and the pre-planned transfers may be executed at later dates as set forth in the plan, without regard to any subsequent material non-public information related to the company that the executive or family member may receive.
- Shares held by the Michael S. Dunlap Class B Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated August 28, 2003, which reflects an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person of 15,190 shares on August 25, 2017. The reporting person continues to report **(5)** beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a Michael S. Dunlap Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated December 19, 2011, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person of 19,472 shares on December 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial **(6)** ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a separate Michael S. Dunlap Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated December 19, 2011, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person of 4,424 shares on December 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report **(7)** beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- **(8)** Shares held by a separate Michael S. Dunlap Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated December 19, 2011, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person of 20,610 shares on December 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report

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beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

- Shares held by a separate Michael S. Dunlap Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated December 19, 2011, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person of 12,723 shares on December 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by Union Financial Services, Inc. ("UFS"), of which the reporting person is chairman and owns 50.0% of the outstanding capital stock. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by UFS, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by UFS except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated October 16, 2015, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person's spouse of 51,508 shares on October 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a separate Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated October 16, 2015, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person's spouse of 12,664 shares on October 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a separate Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated October 16, 2015, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person's spouse of 2,159 shares on October 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein
- Shares held by a separate Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated October 16, 2015, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person's spouse of 64,596 shares on October 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a separate Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated October 16, 2015, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person's spouse of 31,723 shares on October 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a separate Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated October 16, 2015, which reflect an annuity distribution from the trust to the reporting person's spouse of 20,802 shares on October 19, 2017. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a Dynasty Trust, of which an adult son of the reporting person is the initial beneficiary. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a Dynasty Trust, of which a son of the reporting person is the initial beneficiary. The reporting person continues to report (18) beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares held by a Dynasty Trust, of which a son of the reporting person is the initial beneficiary. The reporting person continues to report (19) beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (20) Shares held by the Michael S. Dunlap 2011 Post Annuity Irrevocable Trust, of which an adult son of the reporting person is the beneficiary.
- (21) Shares held by a separate Michael S. Dunlap 2011 Post Annuity Irrevocable Trust, of which a son of the reporting person is the beneficiary.
- (22) Shares held by a separate Michael S. Dunlap 2011 Post Annuity Irrevocable Trust, of which a son of the reporting person is the beneficiary.

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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