

ExlService Holdings, Inc.
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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 *
BAGAI PAVAN

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 280 PARK AVENUE
 (Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ExlService Holdings, Inc. [EXLS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/24/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 ___X___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 President & COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 ___X___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/24/2016	A	12,500	<u>(3)</u>	02/24/2026	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share				

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BAGAI PAVAN 280 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017			President & COO	

Signatures

/s/ Lazbart Oseni, Attorney-in-Fact	02/26/2016
**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) Each restricted stock unit and performance-based restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock upon settlement.
- (2) The restricted stock units will vest in four equal annual installments, beginning on February 24, 2017. Vesting will be accelerated upon certain termination of employment events and upon a "Change in Control" (as defined in the ExlService Holdings, Inc. 2015 Amendment and Restatement of the 2006 Omnibus Award Plan (the "Plan"))
- (3) 50% of the performance-based restricted stock units will cliff vest on December 31, 2018, subject to achievement of threshold revenues against an annual revenue target for such fiscal year, and the remaining 50% of the performance-based restricted stock units will cliff vest on December 31, 2018, based on the achievement of relative total stockholder return performance of the Company against a peer group, in each case subject to continuous employment and other conditions in the Plan. Vesting of some or all of the performance-based restricted stock units may be accelerated upon or in connection with the occurrence of a "Change in Control" as such term is defined in the Plan

Remarks:

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Mr. Oseni is the Company's Head of Administration and Accounts.

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