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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* <u>Puckett A. Lynne</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 420 NATIONAL BUSINESS PARKWAY 5TH FLOOR (Street) ANNAPOLIS MD 20701 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Colfax CORP [CFX]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>SVP, GC & Secretary</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>01/16/2018</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, par value \$.001	01/16/2018		M ⁽¹⁾		7,270	A	\$35.6 ⁽¹⁾	37,295	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	01/16/2018		S ⁽¹⁾		7,270	D	\$42.01	30,025	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001								1,111	I	By spouse

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)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 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)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$35.6	01/16/2018		M ⁽¹⁾			7,270	(2)	02/22/2019	Common Stock, par value \$.001	7,270	\$0.00	7,653	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The exercise and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan (the "10b5-1 Plan") adopted by the reporting person on November 10, 2017. The 10b5-1 Plan provides for the exercise of this option tranche, which expires in February 2019.
- The option vested in three equal annual installments beginning on February 22, 2013.

Remarks:

/s/ A. Lynne Puckett 01/18/2018
 ** 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).

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