

Ballas Stephen
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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 *
Ballas Stephen

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Global Eagle Entertainment Inc.
[ENT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6100 CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 1020
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
06/25/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Gen Counsel & Secretary

LOS ANGELES, CA 90045

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

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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	06/25/2018		A	133,333	A \$ 0	228,367	D
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	06/25/2018		A	66,667	A \$ 0	295,034	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)

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option <u>(3)</u>	\$ 2.65	06/25/2018		A	87,961	<u>(4)</u>		06/25/2023		Common Stock	87,961
Stock Option <u>(3)</u>	\$ 2.65	06/25/2018		A	175,921	<u>(5)</u>		06/25/2025		Common Stock	175,921

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ballas Stephen 6100 CENTER DRIVE SUITE 1020 LOS ANGELES, CA 90045			EVP, Gen Counsel & Secretary	

Signatures

/s/ Kim Nakamaru,
 Attorney-in-Fact 06/27/2018

**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) These shares were granted as restricted stock units and will vest as follows; (i) 50% vesting on March 27, 2020, (ii) 25% vesting on March 27, 2021 and (iii) 25% vesting on March 27, 2022, subject to continuous employment on each applicable vesting date.
- (2) These shares were granted as performance-based restricted stock units and will vest as follows; (i) 50% vesting on March 27, 2020, (ii) 25% vesting on March 27, 2021, and (iii) 25% vesting on March 27, 2022, subject to the reporting person's continuous service through each applicable vesting date, and provided that the Issuer's volume-weighted average price per share of common stock equals or exceeds \$4.00 for 45 consecutive trading days at any time on or prior to June 25, 2023.
- (3) Each Stock Option represents the right of the reporting person to receive a cash payment on the date of exercise equal to the value of the closing price per share on the date of exercise less the exercise price.
- (4) These Stock Options generally vest and become exercisable as follows: (i) 50% of the Stock Options will vest on March 27, 2020, (ii) 25% of the Stock Options will vest on March 27, 2021 and (iii) 25% of the Stock Options will vest on March 27, 2022, subject to the reporting person's continuous service through each applicable vesting date, and provided that the Issuer's volume-weighted average price per share of common stock equals or exceeds \$4.00 for 45 consecutive trading days at any time on or prior to June 25, 2023.

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- These Stock Options generally vest and become exercisable as follows: (i) 50% of the Stock Options will vest on March 27, 2020 and (ii)
- (5) 50% of the Stock Options will vest on March 27, 2021, subject to the reporting person's continuous service through each applicable vesting date, and provided that the Issuer's volume-weighted average price per share of common stock equals or exceeds \$8.00 for 45 consecutive trading days at any time on or prior to June 25, 2025.

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