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Form 4

August 14, 2015

### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Gerdin Ann S

(Last)

(City)

Symbol **HEARTLAND EXPRESS INC** 

(Check all applicable)

[HTLD]

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year)

901 NORTH KANSAS AVENUE (Street)

(State)

08/11/2015

Code

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

NORTH LIBERTY, IA 52317

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1.Title of Execution Date, if Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 7. Nature of 6. Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

(A) or Amount (D) Price

\$0

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

1,936,276

12,718,778  $D^{(2)}$ 

Common 08/11/2015 Stock

235,259

I By LP (3)

Common Stock

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)

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				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director Gerdin Ann S X

901 NORTH KANSAS AVENUE NORTH LIBERTY, IA 52317

## **Signatures**

/s/ Ann S. Gerdin, by Thomas Hill, attorney-in-fact, pursuant to POA previously filed

08/14/2015

\*\*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) An annuity distribution was made from a grantor retained annuity trust with an independent trustee to Mrs. Gerdin's revocable trust.
- (2) Shares owned by the revocable trust of Mrs. Gerdin over which she serves as the trustee.

Gerdin Family Investments, LP (the "GFI") owns a voting trust certificate representing 1,936,276 shares of Heartland Express, Inc. common stock. The reporting person is a general partner of GFI. Although the entire number of shares controlled by GFI is disclosed herein (as permitted by SEC rules), the reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of shares in excess of the number attributable to

her ownership interest. The reporting person is not a voting trustee and has no power to vote the shares in which GFI has an interest.

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