SEC Form 4

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre	1 8		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CLEARONE INC</u> [CLRO]	(Check	ationship of Reporting Pe (all applicable)	
				X	Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)
5225 WILEY POST WAY, SUITE 500			06/23/2017		PRESIDENT	& CEO
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filir	ng (Check Applicable
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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)	Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)	
Common Stock	06/23/2017		F ⁽¹⁾		32,713(1)	D	(1)	175,676	D		
Common Stock	06/23/2017		M ⁽¹⁾		50,000 ⁽¹⁾	A	(1)	225,676	D		
Common Stock	06/23/2017		F ⁽²⁾		8,117(2)	D	(2)	217,559	D		

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. Transa Code (8)				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	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$6.15	06/23/2017		M ⁽¹⁾			50,000	08/14/2008	08/14/2017	Common Stock	50,000	\$6.15	100,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. On June 23, 2017, the reporting person exercised options to purchase 50,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$6.15 per share (the "Options"). As payment of the exercise price of the Options, the reporting person forfeited to the issuer 32,713 shares of common stock beneficially owned by the reporting person prior to the exercise of the Options with a market value equal to the exercise price for the Options based on the closing price of the issuer's common stock as reported on the Nasdaq Capital Market on the date of exercise.

2. In connection with the exercise of the Options, the issuer withheld 8,117 shares in satisfaction of U.S. federal income tax withholding obligations with respect to the exercise of the Options.

/s/ Zeynep Hakimoglu 06/27/2017

** 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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