FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>ALPERN MILTON</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Benefitfocus, Inc. [BNFT]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 100 BEN	(F NEFITFOC	•	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/17/2014								, y	X Officer (give title below) Other (sp below) Chief Financial Officer					
	CHARLESTON SC 29492					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Trans	Transaction			2A. Deemed Execution Date,		e, Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) o ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	nt of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)		rice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			06/1	7/201	4			М		5,00	0 /		\$8.11	18	,152	152 D			
Common	Stock			06/1	7/201	4			S ⁽¹⁾		5,00	0 I		\$41	13	,152	152 D			
Common	Stock			06/1	8/201	4			M		5,00	0 1	1	\$8.11	18,152			D		
Common	Stock			06/1	8/201	4			S ⁽¹⁾		5,00	5,000 D		\$42	13	13,152		D		
		7	able II -												Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	xercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Instr. Derivative Securities Acquired (Month/Day/Year)		kercis	sable and 7. Title and Amo				8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)			10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)							
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or	ount nber res						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$8.11	06/17/2014			M ⁽¹⁾			5,000	(2)		01/31/2022	Common Stock	5,0	000	\$0.00	188,84	4	D		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$8.11	06/18/2014			M ⁽¹⁾			5,000	(2)		01/31/2022	Commo Stock	5,0	000	\$0.00	183,84	4	D		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$9.33								(3)		06/30/2022	Commo Stock	12,	115		12,115	5	D		
Stock Option (Right to	\$10.3								(4)		09/30/2022	Commo	2,0	000		2,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This exercise and sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 23, 2014.
- 2. This option was granted on January 31, 2012 and vests over a four-year period with one-fourth (1/4) of the option granted vesting on January 9, 2013, the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, and the balance of the option granted vesting ratably on a monthly basis over the following 36 months
- 3. This option was granted on July 1, 2012 and vests over a four-year period with one-fourth (1/4) of the option granted vesting on January 9, 2013, the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, and the balance of the option granted vesting ratably on a monthly basis over the following 36 months.
- 4. This option was granted on October 1, 2012 and vests over a four-year period with one-fourth (1/4) of the option granted vesting on October 1, 2013, the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, and the balance of the option granted vesting ratably on a monthly basis over the following 36 months.

Remarks:

/s/ Donald R. Reynolds, Attorney-in-Fact

06/19/2014

** 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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