FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Kenison Michael R.				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Proto Labs Inc [PRLB]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify						
(Last) 5540 PIC	,	irst) EEK DRIVE	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2024									helow)	, ``	f the	other (s below) America's	·
(Street) MAPLE	PLAIN M	IN :	55359		4. li	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(5	state)	(Zip)			Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication													
					Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D.				Execution Date,		Cod	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, Code (Instr. 5)		d (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	Benefic	es For ially (D) Following (I) (rm: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
							Cod	e V	Amount	t (A) or (D)		Price	Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			ilisu. 4)		
Common Stock 02/13			3/2024	2024		F		1,07	1,070 D \$		\$33.5	14,	14,200(1)		D				
Common Stock 02/13/			3/2024	/2024		A		8,205	8,205 ⁽²⁾ A		\$0	\$0 22,405			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)	Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ransaction of Code (Instr. Derivative		itive ities red sed	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 Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	,	Amount or Number of Shares	er					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$33.52	02/13/2024			A		7,555		(3)		02/13/2034		nmon ock	7,555	\$0	7,555		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Includes 349 shares of Common Stock of the issuer purchased on May 15, 2023 and 197 shares of Common Stock of the issuer purchased on November 15, 2023, through the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan program.
- 2. Restricted Stock Units that vest as follows: 25% of shares subject to the award will vest on February 13, 2025, and on each February 13th thereafter until all shares subject to the award are fully vested.
- 3. 25% of shares subject to the award will vest on February 13, 2025, and on each February 13th thereafter until all shares subject to the award are fully vested.

/s/ W. Morgan Burns, Attorney-in-Fact

02/15/2024

** 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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