FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Bentley Keith A.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BENTLEY SYSTEMS INC [ BSY ]									5. Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) X Director			•	rson(s) to Is			
(Last)	(Fir	st) (N	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/25/2023										Office	er (give title v)		Other ( below)	specify		
C/O BENTLEY SYSTEMS, INCORPORATED 685 STOCKTON DRIVE						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						
(Street) EXTON	PA 19341					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person															
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)		$ _{\Box}$	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 satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.											nded to				
		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	Benef	iciall	y Own	ed					
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 Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 5)			3, 4 and Securities Beneficially Owned Followin		ies cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice		ed ction(s) 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)				
Class B Common Stock 10/					2023				A <sup>(1)</sup>		347	A	1 5	648.9	9 17,244,205			D			
Class B C	B Common Stock 10/2				/2023				A <sup>(2)</sup>		1,334	A	1 5	648.9	17,245,539		D				
Class B C	Common Sto	ock													100,000 I By spouse						
Class B Common Stock															92,654		I		By 401(K) Plan		
		Tal									osed of, o				Owne	d					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	med on Date, Day/Year)	ection Instr.			6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		e Amount of		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)			Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents compensation paid to the Reporting Person and deferred into the Issuer's non-qualified deferred compensation plan and invested in fully-vested phantom shares that are distributable to the Reporting Person as shares of Class B Common Stock at a future date in accordance with the terms of the plan and the Reporting Person's plan election.
- 2. Represents the stock portion of compensation paid to the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's Bonus Pool Plan.

/s/ Michael T. Fischette, 10/27/2023 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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