

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Hale Mark J.</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 601 MERRITT 7 (Street) NORWALK CT 06851 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2018	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		3,551	A	\$152.28	6,268	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		12,035	A	\$92.22	18,303	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		3,945	A	\$92.22	22,248	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		8,070	A	\$131.31	30,318	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		5,100	A	\$175.2	35,418	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		M		15,300	A	\$175.2	50,718	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/22/2018		S		12,305	D	\$199.6	38,413	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/23/2018		S		35,696	D	\$198.02	2,717	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$152.28	01/22/2018		M			3,551	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	3,551	(2)	44,450	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$92.22	01/22/2018		M			12,035	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	12,035	(2)	32,415	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$92.22	01/22/2018		M			3,945	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	3,945	(2)	28,470	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$131.31	01/22/2018		M			8,070	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	8,070	(2)	20,400	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$175.2	01/22/2018		M			5,100	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	5,100	(2)	15,300	D	

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$175.2	01/22/2018		M			15,300	(1)	(1)	FactSet Common Stock	15,300	(2)	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- On November 14, 2017, FactSet Research Systems Inc. ("FactSet" or the "Company") announced that Mark J. Hale would separate from his position as Executive Vice President, Chief Operating Officer. The separation was effective on December 31, 2017. Under the terms of the separation of employment and general release agreement with Mark J. Hale (the "Agreement"), Mr. Hale received the acceleration of the vesting of certain outstanding stock options, with the expiration date subject to the standard terms of the Company's option agreement.
- Column 8 has been intentionally left blank as the transaction was an exercise of a derivative security.

/s/ Mark J. Hale

01/24/2018

** 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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