

# **VERTEX, INC.**

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# ITEM SECOND IRR. TRUST FBO ANNE MARIE WESTPHAL U/A OF JEFFREY R. WESTPHAL DATED OCTOBER 5, 2001

#### FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *  ITEM SECOND IRR. TRUST FBO ANNE MARIE WESTPHAL u/a of JEFFREY R. WESTPHAL dated October 5, 2001 |   |             |             |                             |   |  |           |   |          |         |                                  |  |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)                      |  |  |              |  |  |
|--|---|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------|---|--|-----------|---|----------|---------|----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--------------|--|--|
|  |   |             |             |                             | erte:   | x, Inc   | . [ VEF   | RX  | ]        |         |                                  |  | Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title below) X Other (specify below) 13(D) GROUP MEMBER |  |  |  |              |  |  |
| (Last)   | (Last) (First) (Middle)   |             |             |                             | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)      |  |           |   |          |         |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |              |  |  |
| C/O VERTEX, INC., 2301<br>RENAISSANCE BLVD   |   |             |             |                             |   |  | 10        | /10   | /2024    |         |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |              |  |  |
| (Street)   |   |             |             | 4.                          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY) |  |           |   |          |         |                                  |  | () 6. Individual   | or Joint/G   | roup Filing  | (Check Appl  | icable Line) |  |  |
| KING OF PRUSSIA, PA 19406  (City) (State) (Zip)  |   |             |             |                             |   |  |           |   |          |         |                                  |  |  | X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person            |  |  |              |  |  |
|  | •   | · · · · ·   | •           | - Non-De                    | erivati   | ive Sec  | urities A | cqu   | ired, D  | ispos   | ed of                            | f, or B  | eneficially Owne   | d  |  |  |              |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans. Da  |   |             | Trans. Date | 2A. De<br>Execut<br>Date, i | ion   | 3. Trans. Code<br>(Instr. 8)                             |           | 4. Securities Acquired<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)          |          |         | ed (A) or                        | 5. Amount of Secur<br>Following Reported<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  |  | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)   | Beneficial<br>Ownership  |              |  |  |
|  |   |             |             |                             |   |  | Code      | V   | Amoun    | (A) o   |                                  | Price  |  |  |  | or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr.<br>4)                                   | (Instr. 4)   |  |  |
| Class A Common Stock 10/10/202   |   |             |             | 0/10/2024                   |   |  | S         |   | 32,410   | D       | \$3                              | 89.7269 <sup>(</sup>   | 1)   |  | 807,838.706  | D  |              |  |  |
| Class A Common St  | tock  |             | 1           | 0/11/2024                   |   |  | S         |   | 42,765   | D       | \$4                              | 10.4849  | 2)   |  | 765,073.706  | D  |              |  |  |
|  | Tab   | le II - Der | ivative S   | Securities                  | s Bene  | eficiall   | y Owned   | l ( <i>e.g</i>  | z., puts | , calls | , wa                             | rrants   | , options, conver  | tible secu   | ırities)   |  |              |  |  |
| 1. Title of Derivate<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)   | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Date Execution Date, if any (In part of the part |             | n (Instr. 8 | 3)                          | Acquire<br>Dispose                                | tive Securities<br>ed (A) or<br>ed of (D)<br>3, 4 and 5) |           | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date  Date Expiration Exercisable Date |          |         | Securiti<br>Derivat<br>(Instr. 3 | and Amount of<br>ies Underlying<br>ive Security<br>and 4)    |  | derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |              |  |  |

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- (1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$39.38 to \$40.345.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$39.795 to \$40.835.

#### **Reporting Owners**

|   | Relationships |              |         |                       |  |  |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------|-----------------------|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer | Other                 |  |  |
| ITEM SECOND IRR. TRUST FBO ANNE MARIE WESTPHAL u/a of JEFFREY R. WESTPHAL dated October 5, 2001<br>C/O VERTEX, INC.<br>2301 RENAISSANCE BLVD<br>KING OF PRUSSIA, PA 19406 |               | X            |         | 13(D) GROUP<br>MEMBER |  |  |

/s/ Anne Marie Westphal, as Trustee

10/15/2024

\*\*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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