FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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obligations may continue. See	
Instruction 1(b).	

## ATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     SREDNICKI RICHARD J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP INC [ ECPG								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last)	(Fii	rst) (N	/iddle)		_	1										Officer (give title below)		Other (: below)	specify
350 CAMINO DE LA REINA SUITE 100					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/24/2020														
	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)									
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		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	Benefi	cially	Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,			Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acqui Disposed Of (D) (In 5)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pri	се	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(msu. 4)	
Common Stock 06/24/2					2020				A		3,814(1)	A	\$3	34.08	29,297		]	D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ive Conversion Date Execution Date, y or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo	r osed ) r. 3, 4	Expiration Da		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Insi 3 and 4)		Der Sec (Ins	Price of ivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y O F D oi (!)	0. Ownership orm: Oirect (D) r Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Grant to the reporting person, for service on the Board of Directors of Encore Capital Group, Inc. ("Encore"), of deferred stock units under the terms of a non-employee director deferred compensation plan established under the 2017 Incentive Award Plan. Deferred stock units will be converted into shares of Encore common stock on a one-for-one basis upon distribution. The distribution of shares of common stock will occur within 10 business days following the date the reporting person is no longer a member of the Board of Directors.

## Remarks:

/s/ Michael Chin, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard Srednicki

06/26/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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