**EMANS ERIC MICHAEL** 

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## FORM 4

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1(b).

Common

Stock

07/27/2017

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and AEMANS EI	_	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	Е	BLUCORA, INC. [BCOR]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I	· · · · · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
6333 N ST. STE 600		(Month/Day/Year) 07/27/2017					Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Financial Officer			
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
IRVING, T	TX 75038						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	caction Date 2A. Deemed (Day/Year) Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	Securities Ownership Inc Beneficially Form: Direct Be Owned (D) or Ox Following Indirect (I) (Ir Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			C	Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	07/27/2017			M	48,604	A	\$ 9.81	144,908	D	
Common Stock	07/27/2017			M	27,469	A	\$ 12.97	172,377	D	

52,276

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

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## 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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day,	Pate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.81	07/27/2017		M	48,604	(2)	01/04/2023	Common Stock	48,604
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.97	07/27/2017		M	27,469	(3)	01/14/2022	Common Stock	27,469

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EMANS ERIC MICHAEL 6333 N STATE HIGHWAY 161, STE 600 IRVING, TX 75038

Chief Financial Officer

### **Signatures**

/s/ Eric Emans 07/28/2017

\*\*Signature of Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- Represents a "net exercise" of outstanding stock options. The reporting person received 23,797 shares of common stock in connection with the net exercise of options to purchase 76,073 shares of common stock. The reporting person forfeited 52,276 shares of common stock underlying the option in payment of the exercise price and applicable tax withholding, using the closing stock price on July 27, 2017 of \$23.75.
- The option vests according to the following schedule: 33.33% vested on January 2, 2017, and approximately 16.67% vests at the end of each six-month period thereafter, such that the option will be fully vested on January 2, 2019.
- The option vests according to the following schedule: 33.33% vested on January 2, 2016, and approximately 16.67% vests at the end of each six-month period thereafter, such that the option will be fully vested on January 2, 2018.

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