FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SHEPARD WILLIAM R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CME GROUP INC. [CME]								(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Is (Check all applicable) X Director 10% O				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 20 S. WACKER DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/25/2018									^		er (give title			(specify
(Street) CHICAG (City)	CHICAGO IL 60606						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Forn	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable rm filed by One Reporting Person rm filed by More than One Reporting rson			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/Date)					Execution Da			n Date,	r, Transaction Dis Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	Securities Acquired (A) sposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned	ties cially I Following	6. Own Form: I (D) or I (I) (Inst	Direct ndirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Common Stock Class A 09					/2018			A		173(1)) A \$0		\$0.0	194,864.695			I	by Trust	
	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/Ye	Date,	Code (Inst				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				,	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					

Explanation of Responses:

1. Incremental grant made pursuant to the CME Group Director Stock Plan, as amended and restated, as a result of an increase to Board compensation.

By: Margaret Austin Wright For: William R. Shepard

09/27/2018

** 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).
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