FORM 4

C/O SILVER LAKE

**MENLO PARK** 

C/O SILVER LAKE

(Street)

(City)

(Last)

2775 SAND HILL ROAD, SUITE 100

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*
Silver Lake Group, L.L.C.

CA

(State)

(First)

2775 SAND HILL ROAD, SUITE 100

94025

(Zip)

(Middle)

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

washington, D.C. 200

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SLTA Sumeru (GP), L.L.C.</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACKLINE, INC. [ BL ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner  Office (six a title)  Other (one six a title)						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SILVER LAKE 2775 SAND HILL ROAD, SUITE 100					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2017									Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
(Street)	PARK C	A 9	9402 Zip)	5	4. l	f Amen	dment,	Date	of Or	iginal F	Filed (Month/Da	ay/Year)		Line	) Form	n filed by C	One Re	porting Pe	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed o					Disposed o	f, or E	Benefic	iall	y Owne	ed									
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear)   E	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		, Tr Co	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
								Co	ode	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and		ion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock			12/07/201	7				S		2,626,246(1)	D	\$34.0	<b>7</b> <sup>(2)</sup>	12,43	2,847			Held through Silver Lake Sumeru Fund, L.P. (3)(5)(6)(7)
Common	Stock			12/07/201	7				S		23,452(1)	D	\$34.0	<b>7</b> <sup>(2)</sup>	111	,026			Held through Silver Lake Technology Investors Sumeru, L.P.(4)(5)(6)(7)
		Та	ble								sposed of,				Owned		,		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Day/Year)   Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)   Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title Amour Securi Underl Deriva Securi	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securitie: Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4		Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)							
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		Reporting Person* GP), L.L.C.																	
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1. Name and Address of SHAH AJAY	of Reporting Person*								
(Last) C/O SILVER LAK	(First)	(Middle)							
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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Silver Lake Technology Associates Sumeru, L.P.									
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Silver Lake Sumeru Fund LP									
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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Silver Lake Technology Investors Sumeru, L.P.									
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## Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Represents \ shares \ of \ Black Line, Inc.'s \ (the \ "Issuer") \ Common \ Stock \ sold \ in \ an \ underwritten \ secondary \ of fering.$
- 2. Represents the sale price to the underwriter in the secondary offering of \$34.07 per share.
- 3. Silver Lake Group, L.L.C. ("SLG") and Ajay Shah ("Shah") are the managing members of SLTA Sumeru (GP), L.L.C. ("SLTA"), which is the general partner of Silver Lake Technology Associates Sumeru, L.P. ("SLT LP"), which is the general partner of Silver Lake Sumeru Fund, L.P. ("SLSF"), which directly holds these shares of Common Stock.
- 4. SLG and Shah are the managing members of SLTA, which is the general partner of SLT LP, which is the general partner of Silver Lake Technology Investors Sumeru, L.P. ("SLTI", and collectively with SLG, Shah, SLTA, SLT LP and SLSF, the "Reporting Persons"), which directly holds these shares of Common Stock.
- 5. As the general partner of each of SLSF and SLTI, SLT LP may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power with respect to the Common Stock directly held by SLSF and SLTI (the "Silver Lake Sumeru Shares"). As the general partner of SLT LP, SLTA may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power with respect to the Silver Lake Sumeru Shares. As the managing members of SLTA, SLG and Shah may each be deemed to share voting and dispositive power with respect to the Silver Lake Sumeru Shares.
- 6. Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- 7. Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), this filing shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Persons are, for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act or otherwise, the beneficial owners of any equity securities in excess of their respective pecuniary interests.

## Remarks:

Pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement, dated as of October 27, 2016, by and among the Issuer, SLSF, SLTI, Iconiq Strategic Partners, L.P., Therese Tucker and Mario Spanicciati, SLSF and SLTI will have the right to appoint or nominate for election to the Issuer's board of directors, as applicable, (i) seven directors of up to a 13 member board for so long as the Silver Lake Sumeru Shares constitute more than 35% of the total number of shares of the Issuer's common stock then outstanding; (ii) six directors for so long as the Silver Lake Sumeru Shares constitute 35% or less, but more than 25% of the total number of shares of the Issuer's common stock then outstanding; (iii) three directors for so long as the Silver Lake Sumeru Shares constitute 25% or less, but more than 20% of the total number of shares of the Issuer's common stock then outstanding; (iv) two directors for so long as the Silver Lake Sumeru Shares constitute 20% or less, but more than 10% of the total number of shares of the Issuer's common stock then outstanding; and (v) one director for so long as the Silver Lake Sumeru Shares constitute 10% or less but at least 5% of the total number of shares of the Issuer's common stock then outstanding. The Reporting Persons are jointly filing this Form 4 pursuant to Rule 16a-3(j) under the Exchange Act.

Director of Silver Lake Group,

L.L.C.

<u>/s/ Ajay Shah</u> <u>12/08/2017</u>

/s/ Ajay Shah, Managing

Director of SLTA Sumeru 12/08/2017

(<u>GP</u>), <u>L.L.C.</u>

/s/ Ajay Shah, Managing

**Director of SLTA Sumeru** 

(GP), L.L.C., general partner of 12/08/2017

Silver Lake Technology

Associates Sumeru, L.P.

/s/ Ajay Shah, Managing

Director of SLTA Sumeru

(GP), L.L.C., general partner of

Silver Lake Technology 12/08/2017

Associates Sumeru, L.P.,

general partner of Silver Lake

Sumeru Fund, L.P.

/s/ Ajay Shah, Managing

Director of SLTA Sumeru

(GP), L.L.C., general partner of

Silver Lake Technology

Associates Sumeru, L.P.,

general partner of Silver Lake

Technology Investors Sumeru,

<u>L.P.</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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