Anderman Sigmund Form 4 March 19, 2012

## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Anderman Sigmund	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O ELLIE MAE, INC., 4155 HOPYARD ROAD, SUITE 200	V.3/ 10/ 2012	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Executive Officer			
(Street) PLEASANTON, CA 94588	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 Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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#### (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDisposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 3) Code Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price \$ by Trust Common 03/16/2012 S Ι 100,000 D 10.0023 412,751 (2) Stock (1) Common by 401(k) 10,000 Ι Stock Plan by

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

Managed

Account (3)

14,720

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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		3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc			le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transac Code (Instr. 8	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5		Secur	rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

#### **Reporting Owners**

Renorting Owner Name /	Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Anderman Sigmund
C/O ELLIE MAE, INC.
4155 HOPYARD ROAD, SUITE 200
PLEASANTON, CA 94588
Chief
Executive
Officer

#### **Signatures**

By: LeeAnn C. Linck, Attorney-in-fact For: Sigmund
Anderman

03/19/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting 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).
- The price reported is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$10.00 to \$10.03, inclusive.
- (1) The reporting person undertakes to provide to Ellie Mae, Inc., any security holder of Ellie Mae, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote (2) to this Form 4.
- (2) These shares are held by Sigmund Anderman, Trustee of the Sigmund and Susan Anderman Family Trust dated March 3, 2006.
- (3) These shares are held by Sigmund Anderman, Trustee of the Sigmund Anderman 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated May 26, 2010.

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Reporting Owners 2

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