### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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#### TATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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, ,	<b>/</b> :	Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Merkle Claudia J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NMI Holdings, Inc. [ NMIH ]									olicable) etor er (give title		6 Owner er (specify
C/O NMI HOLDI	(First) (Middle) NMI HOLDINGS, INC. POWELL STREET, 12TH FL.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2017									X	belov	v)	bel perating Of	ow)
(Street) EMERYVILLE	CA !	94608 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							. Indivi ine) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date			Date,	Transaction Disposed O Code (Instr. 5)			ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Se Be Ov		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect
								Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111341. 4)
Class A Common Shares, \$0.01 par value per share			12/04/2017					S		15,000	)	D	\$17.	7.8(1) 10		6,021 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															,			
L. Title of Derivative Security Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  4. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  5. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		ate, Ti	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of		ount		vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The common stock was sold by the reporting person in a series of open market transactions on the transaction date, with a volume weighted average sale price of \$17.80. The range of sale prices on the transaction date was \$17.75 to \$17.825. The reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- $2. \ Represents\ 14{,}135\ class\ A\ common\ shares\ and\ 91{,}886\ unvested\ restricted\ stock\ units.$

## Remarks:

/s/ Nicole C. Sanchez as 12/06/2017 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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