### FORM 4

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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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dress of Rep	orting Pers	son *	2. I	ssue	er Name	and Ticke	r or	Tradir	ng Symbo	ol		5. Relationship		rting Persor	(s) to Issu	ıer
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											-	Officer (giv	e title below	/)Oth	er (specify b	elow)
., 801 5T	H AVEN	UE				3/13	3/20	<b>)24</b>								
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If Amendment  (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities  2. Trans. Date Execution Date, if any  3/13/2024  Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Code V (A)	F5, INC. [FFIV]  3. Date of Earliest Transa  3/13  (Street)  4. If Amendment, Date Of Execution Date, if any  Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (2)  Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Security  F5, INC. [FFIV]  3. Date of Earliest Transa  4. If Amendment, Date Of Execution Date, if any  Solution Date, if any  Solution Date, if any  F5, INC. [FFIV]  3. Date of Earliest Transa  4. If Amendment, Date Of Execution Date, if any  Code  [Solution Date, if any Date]  Solution Date, if any  Code V (A) (D)	F5, INC. [FFIV]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction  3/13/20  (Street)  4. If Amendment, Date Origin  VA 98104  ty) (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquire  2. Trans. Date   2A. 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#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Shares received upon vesting of the March 9, 2023 award of Restricted Stock Units.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of F5, Inc. Common Stock on the vest date.
- (3) Restricted Stock Units will fully vest on the first business day prior to the date of the annual shareholder meeting for fiscal 2023 (to be held in 2024) if the reporting person continues to serve as a director on the vest date, and the corresponding number of shares of Common Stock of F5, Inc. will be issued to the reporting person on the vest date.
- (4) If the reporting person continues to provide services to the Company through the vest date, the corresponding number of shares of Common Stock of F5, Inc. will be issued to the reporting person on the vest date.
- (5) Restricted Stock Units will fully vest on the first business day prior to the date of the annual shareholder meeting for fiscal 2024 (to be held in 2025) if the reporting person continues to serve as a director on the vest date, and the corresponding number of shares of Common Stock of F5, Inc. will be issued to the reporting person on the vest date.

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Ivame / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Shivananda Sripada							

C/O F5, INC. 801 5TH AVENUE	X		
SEATTLE, WA 98104			

#### Signatures

/s/ Frank Pelzer by Power of Attorney

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

3/15/2024

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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