FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Gebauer Julie Jarecke</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WILLIS TOWERS WATSON PLC [ WLTW ]							(Check	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owr  V Officer (give title Other (sp				ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WILLIS GROUP LIMITED 51 LIME STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2017							_ X	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Head of Human Capital&Benefits					
(Street) LONDON X0 EC3M 7DQ				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indiv	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)														
			Table I - Non-	Deriva	ative	Securitie	s A	cquired, I	Disp	osed	of, or Bene	ficially O	wned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		D	. Transa ate Month/D		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Code (In	Transaction Dispos		urities Acquired (A) or sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amoun	t (A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and	saction(s)			(Instr. 4)
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)	ve Conversion Date Execution Date, Tr or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Co		4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (AD Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	ivative Expiration Dayly (Month/Dayly posed of (Instr. 3, 4			te Securities Underly		erlying	ing Derivative		er of ve es ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Ex <sub>I</sub> Da	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaci (Instr. 4)			
Restricted Share Unit	(1)	10/16/2017		A		55.1989 <sup>(2)</sup>		(1)		(1)	Ordinary Shares, nominal value \$0.000304635 per share	55.1989	\$0	17,593.	.0454	D	
Restricted Share Unit	(1)	10/16/2017		A		3.2774 <sup>(3)</sup>		(1)		(1)	Ordinary Shares, nominal value \$0.000304635	3.2774	\$0	17,596.	.3228	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Restricted share units settle for Ordinary Shares, nominal value \$0.000304635 per share, on a 1:1 basis 6 months after the reporting person's termination date.
- 2. Represents dividends acquired pursuant to the participant's deferral election under the Willis Towers Watson Non-Qualified Deferred Savings Plan for US Employees (the "Plan").
- 3. Represents dividends acquired pursuant to the Company's matching contribution on the participant's deferral election pursuant to the terms of the Plan and credited to the participant's account in the form of restricted

/s/ Julie J. Gebauer by Elaine Wiggins, Attorney-in-Fact (power of attorney previously filed)

10/18/2017

\*\* 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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