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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Browning 1 (Last) | tress of Reporting Lori (First) | 3. Date | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Grand Canyon Education, Inc.</u> [LOPE] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2021 | | | | | | ationship of Reporti (all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) Chief Acco | 10% 0 | Owner (specify) | | |
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| (Street) PHOENIX (City) | AZ (State) | 85017 (Zip) | 4. If Ai | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| | | Table I - Non-D | Derivative S | ecurities Acq | uired, | Dis | posed of, o | or Ber | eficially | v Owned | | | |
| Date | | Transaction ate lonth/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired (/ Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 Code (Instr. 5) Code V Amount | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 2 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |

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|---|------------|--|---|--|-------|-----|--------|--------------------|---|--|
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 01/27/2021 | | Α | | 2,934 | Α | \$0.00 | 17,920 | D | |
| 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) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D | r osed) r. 3, 4 | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ed | | | e and int of rities rlying ative ative (Instr. 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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| | | | | Code | v | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents a grant of restricted stock that vest 20% on March 1, 2022 (the "First Vesting Date") and 20% on each of the first four anniversaries of the First Vesting Date.

Remarks:

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<u>/s/ Lori Browning, by Lyn</u> <u>Bickle, as Attorney-in-fact</u>

<u>01/29/2021</u>

** 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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