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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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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>Chen William W</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) STERLING CHECK CORP. 1 STATE STREET PLAZA, 24TH FLOOR (Street) NEW YORK NY 10004 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Sterling Check Corp. [STER]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/27/2021	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	09/27/2021		S		9,603,419	D	\$21.56 ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	59,953,230	I	See Footnotes ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 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)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- The reporting person is a managing director of Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC ("Goldman Sachs"). Goldman Sachs is a subsidiary of The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ("GS Group"). The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- Pursuant to an underwriting agreement, dated September 22, 2021 (the "Underwriting Agreement"), and in connection with the registered public offering of shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the issuer ("Common Stock") pursuant to the final prospectus dated September 22, 2021, which offering was consummated on September 27, 2021 (the "Offering"), Checkers Control Partnership, L.P. ("Checkers") and Broad Street Principal Investments, L.L.C. ("BSPI") sold in aggregate 9,603,419 shares of Common Stock, consisting of 6,349,076 shares of Common Stock sold by Checkers and 3,254,343 shares of Common Stock sold by BSPI.
- Goldman Sachs was one of the underwriters in the Offering. In Table I above, the per share sale price of \$21.5625 set forth in the Underwriting Agreement has been rounded to the nearest whole cent.
- Goldman Sachs and GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly, in the aggregate, 59,953,230 shares of Common Stock by reason of the shares of the issuer held by BSPI, Checkers and Broad Street Control Advisors, L.L.C., of which GS Group and affiliates of GS Group are the member, general partner, manager or investment manager, as applicable.

/s/ Steven L. Barnett,
Attorney-in-Fact for William 09/29/2021
W. Chen

** 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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