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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
, ,						BROADWIND ENERGY, INC. [ BWEN									(Check all applicable)				
Reisinger Joseph V.						RO.	ADW	IND EN	ER	GY,	, IN	(C. [	BV	Director		10	% Owner		
					]	<u> </u>	CF 1	· Tr						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3.1	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)									VP, Business Development				
3240 S. CENTRAL AVENUE						2/21/2017													
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
CICERO, IL 60804 (City) (State) (Zip)															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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			Table	I - Non	-Der	ivat	ive Sec	urities A	cquir	ed, I	Disp	osed	of, o	r Ber	neficially Owne	ed			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Trans. l		e 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any		3. Trans. C (Instr. 8)	ode	or Di	4. Securities Acq or Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		D) Fo		Instr. 3 and 4) Form:			Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
								Code	V	Amo	ount	(A) or (D)		rice		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 2/21					/2017			A		538 (1		A	s	60	3	33543		D	
Common Stock 2/21/				2/21/201	1/2017			F		850	<u>(2)</u>	D	\$5	5.43		32693		D	
Common Stock 2/22/201					17			F		159 (2				5.23	31099 (3) D		D		
Common Stock																1590		I	By 401(k) Plan
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															options, conve			ı	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Trans. Date	Execution			Acqui Dispos			6. Date Exe Expiration				7. Title and Securities U Derivative S (Instr. 3 and		Inderlying Security	Derivative Security	Securities Beneficially Owned	Form of Derivative Security:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security			Co	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date		Title		Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$3.4								<u>(</u>	<u>(4)</u>	5/4/	2022		mmon ock	3076		3076	D	
Explanation of Represents	•		c units th	at vest	1,795	5 sha	ares on	each of 2/	/21/18	8 and	1 2/2	1/19 a	and 1	 1,796	shares on 2/21/	20.			

- The reporting person has elected to satisfy his withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of prior restricted stock unit grants by directing the
- Company to withhold shares otherwise issuable pursuant to the previously reported grants.
- Includes (i) 1,430 restricted stock units that vest on 2/19/18; (ii) 8,755 restricted stock units that vest 4,377 shares on 2/22/18 and 4,378 shares on 2/22/19; and
- (iii) 5,386 restricted stock units that vest 1,795 shares on each of 2/21/18 and 2/21/19 and 1,796 shares on 2/21/20. 3)
- 769 shares vested on each of 5/4/13, 5/4/14, 5/4/15 and 5/4/16.

## **Reporting Owners**

Penarting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
Reisinger Joseph V.									
3240 S. CENTRAL AVENUE			VP, Business Development						
CICERO, IL 60804									

## **Signatures**

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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