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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jacobson Tryg C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

ORION ENERGY SYSTEMS, INC.

(Check all applicable)

[OESX]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

529 ONTARIO AVENUE

11/13/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Issuer

below)

SHEBOYGAN, WI 53081

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Middle)

4. Securities 3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial (D) or Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s)

Price (D)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

11/13/2012

Code V Amount Α 6.173

33,958

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and a Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 3.12					08/09/2012(2)	08/09/2021	Common Stock	22,045
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 2.03					06/12/2013(3)	06/12/2022	Common Stock	26,646

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Jacobson Tryg C						
529 ONTARIO AVENUE	X					
SHEBOYGAN, WI 53081						

Signatures

/s/ Steven R. Barth, Attorney-in-Fact for Tryg C.
Jacobson 11/15/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Shares granted in lieu of cash for quarterly retainer fees pursuant to Issuer's 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan.
- (2) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted August 9, 2011, vests and becomes exercisable in three equal installments on August 9, 2012, 2013 and 2014, respectively.
- (3) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted June 12, 2012, vests and becomes exercisable in three equal installments on June 12, 2013, 2014 and 2015, respectively.

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