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Form 4

February 16, 2018

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEHOTSKY Ed

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

CHENIERE ENERGY INC [LNG]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

700 MILAM STREET, SUITE 1900

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

02/14/2018

below) below)

SVP, Engineer and Construction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

3. Code (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

4. Securities

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

47,561

95,377

Common 02/14/2018 Stock

Code V Amount (D) 6,417 A A \$0 (1)

D

I

By Trust

Common Stock

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

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

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4. 5. 6. Date Exercisable and		7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	٥		
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	5
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivativ		Se		Securities		(Instr. 5)]	
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					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
							Expiration Date	Title	or		
									Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LEHOTSKY Ed 700 MILAM STREET SUITE 1900 HOUSTON, TX 77002

SVP, Engineer and Construction

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Signatures

/s/ Sean N. Markowitz under POA by Ed Lehotsky

02/16/2018

**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).

The shares were issued as a Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") grant and therefore no consideration was given by the Reporting Person. Each (1) RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock of the Issuer. The RSUs vest in equal installments on each of February 14, 2019, February 14, 2020, and February 14, 2021.

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