

KEY ENERGY SERVICES INC

Form 4

December 22, 2016

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PICARD EDDIE V

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
KEY ENERGY SERVICES INC
[KEG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1301 MCKINNEY STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/20/2016

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Vice President & Controller

HOUSTON, TX 77010

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
Common Stock	12/20/2016		A	(A) or (D) 5,924 (1)	\$ 0 5,924 (2)	D	

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)**

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. D S (I
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.99	12/20/2016		A	2,962	(3) 12/19/2026	Common Stock	2,962

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PICARD EDDIE V 1301 MCKINNEY STREET HOUSTON, TX 77010			Vice President & Controller	

Signatures

By: Katherine I. Hargis, Attorney-in-Fact for Eddie Picard

12/22/2016

__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).

Represents an award of 5,924 shares of unvested restricted stock units granted under the Key Energy Services, Inc.'s 2016 Equity and Cash Incentive Plan (the "2016 Plan"). These shares of restricted stock units will vest in four equal annual installments beginning on December 20, 2017.

(2) Includes 5,924 unvested restricted stock units granted under the 2016 Plan.

(3) The option vests in equal quarterly installments on each anniversary of the grant date.

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