#### WELLING STEVEN D

Form 4

March 13, 2018

## FORM 4

# 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 * WELLING STEVEN D	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol US ECOLOGY, INC. [ECOL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP Sales & Marketing			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
101 S. CAPITOL BLVD., SUITE 1000	(Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2018				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
BOISE, ID 83702		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 tion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/09/2018		M	1,042	A	\$ 15.36	26,732	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2018		M	1,025	A	\$ 16.18	27,757	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2018		M	3,717	A	\$ 19.71	31,474	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2018		S	3,742	D	\$ 55.65	27,732	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2018		F	761	D	\$ 56.2 (1)	26,971	D	

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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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number tion 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option	\$ 15.36	03/09/2018		M		1,042	04/08/2010	03/08/2020	Common Stock	1,042
Common Stock Option	\$ 16.18	03/09/2018		M		1,025	04/10/2011	03/10/2021	Common Stock	1,025
Common Stock Option	\$ 19.71	03/09/2018		M		3,717	03/21/2012	02/21/2022	Common Stock	3,717

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WELLING STEVEN D 101 S. CAPITOL BLVD. SUITE 1000

**EVP Sales & Marketing** 

BOISE, ID 83702

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Steven D. 03/13/2018 Welling

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- \* 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) Closing price of stock on March 9, 2018; used to determine number of shares tendered to satisfy tax withholding obligation.

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