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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Energous Corp [WATT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RIZZONE STEPHEN R

(Zip)

(First) (Middle)

C/O ENERGOUS CORPORATION, 3590 NORTH FIRST STREET, SUITE 210

(Street)

(State)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

09/30/2016

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Issuer Symbol

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

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO and President

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

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

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 1. Title of 3. 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V (D) Price Amount Common 44,424 09/30/2016 M A \$0 151,190 D (1) Stock Common 3,870 12/30/2016 \$0 156,826 (2) D M Α (1) 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 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 or 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
Performance Share Units	(1)	09/30/2016		M	44,424	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	44,424
Performance Share Units	<u>(1)</u>	12/30/2016		M	3,870	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	3,870

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RIZZONE STEPHEN R C/O ENERGOUS CORPORATION 3590 NORTH FIRST STREET, SUITE 210 SAN JOSE, CA 95134	X		CEO and President			

Signatures

/s/Bill Mannina, Attorney-in-Fact 01/06/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Each performance stock unit or restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- (2) Includes 1,766 shares acquired under the issuer's employee stock purchase plan on December 30, 2016.
- Represents a performance share unit award granted on May 21, 2015 pursuant to the Company's 2015 Performance Share Unit Plan and (3) partially earned on September 30, 2016 based on the satisfaction of certain performance-based vesting requirements. 50% of any shares earned shall be deferred and paid after December 31, 2018, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer.
- Represents a performance share unit award granted on May 21, 2015 pursuant to the Company's 2015 Performance Share Unit Plan and (4) partially earned on December 30, 2016 based on the satisfaction of certain performance-based vesting requirements. 50% of any shares earned shall be deferred and paid after December 31, 2018, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer.

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