Advanced Emissions Solutions, Inc.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Advanced Emissions Solutions, Inc. [ADES] A Sampson L Heath (Month/Day/Year) 08/27/2014 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 9135 S RIDGELINE BLVD STE (Check all applicable) 200 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting CFO and Treasurer Person **HIGHLANDS** Form filed by More than One RANCH. COÂ 80129 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â 12,289 (1) Common Stock D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Security	Direct (D)	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Performance Share Units	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	8,932	\$ <u>(3)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Sampson L Heath 9135 S RIDGELINE BLVD STE 200 HIGHLANDS RANCH, CO 80129	Â	Â	CFO and Treasurer	Â	

Signatures

L. Heath
Sampson

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 Restricted Stock (common stock subject to certain repurchase rights) issued pursuant to the Advanced Emissions Solutions, Inc. Amended and Restated 2007 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended (the "2007 Plan"). Of such amount, 7,823 shares will vest, if at all,
- (1) on August 27, 2015 and one-third of the remaining 4,466 shares will vest, if at all, on each of January 2, 2015, January 2, 2016 and January 2, 2017. Vesting of the Restricted Stock is subject to Mr. Sampson's continuous service with Advanced Emissions Solutions, Inc. or its related entities unless such shares vest sooner pursuant to Section 11 of the 2007 Plan or Mr. Sampson's employment agreement.
 - Vesting of the Performance Share Units, if at all, will occur on January 2, 2017, subject to Mr. Sampson's continuous service with the
- (2) Issuer or its related entities and the achievement of certain pre-established goals to be measured as of December 31, 2016, unless such units vest sooner at the target amount pursuant to Section 11 of the 2007 Plan or Mr. Sampson's employment agreement.
- (3) Each Performance Share Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.

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