

FORUM ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
OTOOLE TERENCE M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

800 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FORUM ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. [FET]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/20/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/20/2017		A		6,219 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock					2,701,087 ⁽²⁾	I	See footnote ⁽³⁾

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 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
OTOOLE TERENCE M 800 THIRD AVENUE 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X			
Tinicum FET, LLC 800 THIRD AVENUE 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X			

Signatures

/s/ Tinicum FET, LLC by John C. Ivascu as Attorney-in-Fact 02/21/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Terence M. O'Toole by John C. Ivascu as Attorney-in-Fact 02/21/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Represents an award of restricted stock under the Forum Energy Technologies, Inc. 2016 Stock and Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Each share of restricted stock, par value \$0.01 per share, is subject to transferability and other restrictions that lapse upon vesting of the

(1) restricted stock. The restricted stock award vests in full on the one year anniversary of the date of grant, subject to accelerated vesting of the entire award upon a Change in Control (as defined in the Plan). The restricted stock agreement also includes dividend and voting rights.

(2)

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Represents 2,666,666 shares of common stock that are directly owned by Tincum FET, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Tincum FET"), and 27,729 shares of restricted stock and 6,692 restricted stock units previously issued to Mr. O'Toole in connection with his service on Forum Energy Technologies, Inc.'s Board of Directors.

- (3) The manager of Tincum FET is Tincum Lantern III L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company ("Tincum Lantern III"). Mr. O'Toole is a co-managing member of Tincum Lantern III. As such, Mr. O'Toole may be deemed to share investment control over Tincum FET's portfolio. Mr. O'Toole disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by Tincum FET, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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