

FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

October 30, 2012

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Terence Bernard Wise

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O FORWARD INDUSTRIES,
INC., 477 ROSEMARY AVE.,
SUITE 217-219

(Street)

WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33410

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC
[FORD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/24/2012

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)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 par value | 10/24/2012 | | X | | 506,733 | A | \$ 1.8 |
| | | | | | 1,583,541 | 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)

| 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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|-----------------|---|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Put Option (Obligation to Buy) ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 1.8 | 10/24/2012 | | X | <u>1</u> (1) | 12/08/2011 | 06/08/2013 | Common Stock, \$0.01 par value | 0 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Terence Bernard Wise C/O FORWARD INDUSTRIES, INC. 477 ROSEMARY AVE., SUITE 217-219 WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33410 | X | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Terence Bernard Wise
10/26/2012

__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).

(1) On October 24, 2012, Mr. Wise purchased 506,733 shares of Common Stock at an exercise price of \$1.80 per share, from the LaGrange Funds upon the exercise by LaGrange Funds of a put option previously granted by Mr. Wise to LaGrange Funds.

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