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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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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Hall James M

(Last)

(City)

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

HELIX ENERGY SOLUTIONS

GROUP INC [HLX]

Director 10% Owner

Chief Accounting Officer

3505 W SAM HOUSTON

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

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

PARKWAY N., SUITE 400

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

01/02/2015

Applicable Line)

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

HOUSTON, TX 77043

(City)	(State)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y 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 on(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	01/02/2015		A	4,608	A	\$ 0 (1)	30,765 (2)	D	
Common Stock	01/05/2015		F	330 (3)	D	\$ 21.66	30,435	D	
Common Stock	01/05/2015		F	807 (3)	D	\$ 21.66	29,628	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. Transacti 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)		3 (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Performance Share Units	<u>(4)</u>	01/02/2015		A	9,216	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	9,216	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hall James M 3505 W SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY N. SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77043

Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

/s/ Alisa B. Johnson by power of attorney

01/06/2015

**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) This restricted stock award was granted pursuant to the Company's 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan (as Amended and Restated effective May 9, 2012) and therefore has no purchase or sales price.
- (2) Includes 2443 shares held through the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan of which 455 were acquired on August 29,2014.
- (3) These shares were forfeited to satisfy tax obligations related to the vesting of the reporting person's restricted stock award.
- Each Performance Share Unit ("PSU") represents the contingent right to receive one share of Company common stock. Actual number of shares upon vesting may range from 0% to 200% dependent on the Company's relative shareholder return as compared to its peer group
- shares upon vesting may range from 0% to 200% dependent on the Company's relative shareholder return as compared to its peer group over a three-year period beginning January 1, 2015 and ending December 31, 2017. The Compensation Committee has the option to pay the value in cash at its discretion.
- (5) Amount reported is 200% of the number of PSUs granted and the maximum number that may be earned.

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(6) Upon payment of the PSUs which shall occur no later than March 15, 2018.

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