

NATURAL GAS SERVICES GROUP INC
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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 *
 HUGHES WILLIAM F JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NATURAL GAS SERVICES GROUP INC [NGS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 04/06/2016

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

42921 NORMANDY LANE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

LANCASTER, CA 93536

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
Common Stock	04/06/2016		A	(A) or (D) V Amount Price 5,884 (1) \$ 20.39	28,664	D	
Common Stock					110,500	I	By the William and Cheryl Hughes Trust

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.61					12/31/2007 12/31/2017	Common Stock	2,500
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.48					03/31/2008 03/18/2018	Common Stock	2,500
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.74					03/31/2010 03/22/2020	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUGHES WILLIAM F JR 42921 NORMANDY LANE LANCASTER, CA 93536		X		

Signatures

/s/ William F. Hughes Jr. 04/08/2016

**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) The acquisition of the 5,884 shares of common stock reflects an award of restricted stock on April 6, 2016, pursuant to the Company's 2009 Restricted Stock/Unit Plan and Independent Director Compensation Policy. The award vests in installments of 1,471 shares

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beginning on March 31, 2017, with additional 1,471 share installments vesting on June 30, September 30 and December 31, 2017, although the award is also subject to accelerated vesting upon the death, disability or retirement of the recipient, or upon a change in control of the Company.

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