Spark Energy, Inc. Form 4 May 06, 2016

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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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Spark Energy, Inc. [SPKE]

Symbol

1(b).

Melman Gil

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			Spark Energy, Inc. [SPKE]						(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 12140 WIC SUITE 100	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2016						Director 10% Owner Solution Other (specify below) Vice President General Counsel					
HOUSTON		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execution	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8	3)	4. Securin(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Stock Class A Common Stock	05/04/2016			M		4,110	A	\$ 0	9,325	D		
Class A Common Stock	05/04/2016			F		1,554 (1)	D	\$ 25.87 (2)	7,771	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 some Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. P Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(3)</u>	05/04/2016		M	4,110	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	4,110	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Melman Gil 12140 WICKCHESTER LANE SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77079

Vice President General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Gil Melman

05/06/2016

**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) Payment for tax liability by delivery of Class A Common Stock incident to the vesting on May 4, 2016.
- (2) Vesting price is based on the closing price of common stock on May 4, 2016, pursuant to the Spark Energy, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan.
- Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a right to receive, upon vesting, one share of Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of Spark Energy, Inc., cash, or a combination of both. Each RSU includes tandem dividend equivalents which will vest upon the same schedule and pays out upon vesting and payout of the underlying award of RSUs to which the dividend equivalent payment relates.

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