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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kroeker Nathan

> (First) (Middle)

(Last)

12140 WICKCHESTER LANE SUITE 100

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Spark Energy, Inc. [SPKE]

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

08/01/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X 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

HOUSTON, TX 77079

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. 1 **Underlying Securities** De (Instr. 3 and 4) Sec

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				((Ir
				Code V	(Α) (Γ	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	08/01/2018		A	30,000	(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	30,000	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	08/01/2018		A	75,000	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	75,000	
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u>	08/01/2018		A	80,000	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock	80,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Kroeker Nathan					
12140 WICKCHESTER LANE SUITE 100	X		President & CEO		
HOUSTON TX 77079					

Signatures

/s/ Nathan Kroeker, by Gil Melman as
Attorney-in-Fact

08/22/2018

**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).
- Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive, upon vesting, one share of Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 (1) per share (the "Class A Common Stock") of Spark Energy, Inc., cash or a combination of both. Each RSU includes tandem dividend equivalents which will vest upon the same schedule as the underlying RSU.
- (2) These RSUs will vest in full on May 18, 2019.
- (3) These RSUs will vest ratably over 4 years commencing May 18, 2019.

These RSUs vest upon certain conditions in connection with a "Change in Control" of Spark Energy, Inc. as such term is defined in the

Form of Notice of Grant of Restricted Stock Unit (Change in Control Restricted Stock Units), filed as Exhibit 10.5 to Spark Energy, Inc.'s

Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2018.

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