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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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).

(Last)

(City)

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obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Taylor Stephen Charles**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NATURAL GAS SERVICES GROUP INC [ngs]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

2911 SOUTH COUNTY ROAD

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

03/15/2018

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

below) Chief Executive Officer

1260

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

Table I. Non Darivative Securities Acquired Disposed of ar Ranaficially Ox

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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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		(World) Day, Tear)	Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/15/2018		A	56,749 (4)	A	\$ 24.55	316,662	D	
Common Stock							21,139	I	By Rabbi Trust

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	e (A) ed of	6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/15/2018		A	27,951		(2)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	27,951
Restricted Stock Units	(3)						<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	42,279
Employee Stock Option	\$ 17.51						09/10/2009	09/10/2018	Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 9.95						01/28/2010	01/28/2019	Common Stock	30,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 7.84						03/17/2010	03/16/2019	Common Stock	23,852
Employee Stock Option	\$ 19.9						01/18/2011	01/17/2020	Common Stock	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips						
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Taylor Stephen Charles 2911 SOUTH COUNTY ROAD 1260 MIDLAND, TX 79706	X		Chief Executive Officer				

Signatures

Stephen C. Taylor	03/19/2018		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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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).
- Not Applicable. The acquisition reflects an award of Restricted Stock Units ("RSU") pursuant to the Company's 2009 Restricted

 (1) Stock/Unit Plan, as amended. Each RSU represents the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock upon vesting without payment.
- Not Applicable. The RSU award vests in one-third annual increments beginning upon the first anniversary of the grant date, subject to the reporting person's continued employment with the Company and subject to accelerated vesting upon death or disability of the reporting person, or upon certain change in control events.
- (3) Not Applicable. Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a right to receive one share of Company common stock upon vesting without payment.
- (4) The acquisition reflects an award of Restricted Stock pursuant to the Company's 2009 Restricted Stock/Unit Plan, as amended. The award vests in one-third annual increments beginning upon the first anniversary of the grant date, subject to the reporting person's continued employment with the Company and subject to accelerated vesting upon death or disability of the reporting person, or upon certain change in control events.

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