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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Ballard Joshua

(Middle)

(Zip)

(First)

C/O ENERGY RECOVERY INC. 1717 DOOLITTLE DRIVE

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Energy Recovery, Inc. [ERII]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2019

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Financial Officer

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

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price Common A 21.381 22,081 D

01/31/2019 Stock (1) (2)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative 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) |                                     |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)    | \$ 7.6  | 01/31/2019                              |   | A                                     | 35,737  | <u>(3)</u>   | 01/31/2029         | Common<br>Stock   | 35,737                              |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Relationships

Ballard Joshua

C/O ENERGY RECOVERY INC 1717 DOOLITTLE DRIVE SAN LEANDRO, CA 94577

Chief Financial Officer

# **Signatures**

/s/William Yeung, Attorney-in-Fact for Joshua Ballard

02/05/2019

\*\*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) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one(1) share of common stock
- (2) The restricted stock unit award was granted on January 31, 2019 and vests 25% on each of the first four anniversaries of the grant date.
- (3) This employee stock option was granted on January 31, 2019. 25% of the shares fully vest on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date; thereafter, the remaining 75% vest 1/36th per month.

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