#### TGC INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

August 04, 2014

### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BARRETT WILLIAM J** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TGC INDUSTRIES INC [TGE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Check all applicable)

P. O. BOX 6199

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

07/31/2014

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Person

FAIR HAVEN, NJ 07704

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price Common

(Month/Day/Year)

1,883,277 (1)

Ι

Stock Common

 $177,745 \frac{(2)}{}$ 

By Spouse

Stock

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)

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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 (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<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<br>Underlying Securitie<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                  |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amour<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shar |
| Nonqualified<br>Stock Option                        | \$ 3.52   |                                      |   |  |   | (3)  | 12/03/2014         | Common<br>Stock   | 21,97                            |
| Nonqualified Stock Option                           | \$ 5.73   |                                      |   |  |   | (3)  | 11/20/2016         | Common<br>Stock   | 18,56                            |
| Nonqualified<br>Stock Option                        | \$ 5.6  |                                      |   |  |   | (3)  | 08/06/2017         | Common<br>Stock   | 19,68                            |
| Nonqualified<br>Stock Option                        | \$ 7.18   |                                      |   |  |   | <u>(4)</u>   | 12/18/2018         | Common<br>Stock   | 19,79                            |
| Nonqualified<br>Stock Option                        | \$ 3.93   | 07/31/2014                           |   | A                                      | 37,500  | (5)  | 07/30/2019         | Common<br>Stock   | 37,50                            |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |
| BARRETT WILLIAM J              |               |           |         |       |  |  |
| P. O. BOX 6199                 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |
| FAIR HAVEN, NJ 07704           |               |           |         |       |  |  |

# **Signatures**

/s/ Julia A. Gardner, Attorney-in-Fact for William J.

Barrett

08/04/2014

\*\*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) Includes 1,808,549 shares of common stock held in Reporting Persons IRA accounts.
- (2) Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of common stock owned by spouse.
- (3) Currently exercisable.
- Option vests fifty percent on the date of grant (12-18-2013) and the remaining fifty percent vests one year after the date of grant (12-18-2014).
- Option vests fifty percent on the date of grant (7-31-2014) and the remaining fifty percent vests one year after the date of grant (7-31-2015).

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#### (6) Not applicable.

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