

ENERGY FOCUS, INC/DE
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
White Bradley Brian

(Last) (First) (Middle)

32000 AURORA ROAD, SUITE B

(Street)

SOLON, OH 44139

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ENERGY FOCUS, INC/DE [EFOI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/10/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
CFO & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/10/2017 | | P | 1,600 A \$ 3.13 | 1,600 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/10/2017 | | P | 975 A \$ 3.12 | 975 | I | Hadley B. White Trust Account ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | 03/10/2017 | | P | 1,075 A \$ 3.12 | 1,075 | I | Henry F. White Trust Account ⁽²⁾ |

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option | \$ 4.49 | | | | | 01/03/2018 01/03/2027 | Common Stock | 81,198 |
| Restricted Stock Units | (3) | | | | | 01/03/2018 01/03/2020 | Common Stock | 32,479 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| White Bradley Brian 32000 AURORA ROAD SUITE B SOLON, OH 44139 | | | CFO & Secretary | |

Signatures

/s/ Michael H. Port as Attorney-in-Fact 03/13/2017

**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) The shares are held by the Hadley B. White Trust Account, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee.
- (2) The shares are held by the Henry F. White Trust Account, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee.

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(3) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Energy Focus, Inc. Common Stock.

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