

McNeeley Donald R. Jr.
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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 *
 McNeeley Donald R. Jr.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 OLYMPIC STEEL INC [ZEUS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O OLYMPIC STEEL,
 INC., 22901 MILLCREEK BLVD.
 SUITE 650

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/22/2019

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

(Street)
 HIGHLAND HILLS, OH 44122

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction of Derivative	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Pr
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Secu (Instr)
Restricted Share Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/22/2019	A	8,759	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock 8,759 \$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McNeeley Donald R. Jr. C/O OLYMPIC STEEL, INC. 22901 MILLCREEK BLVD. SUITE 650 HIGHLAND HILLS, OH 44122	X		Subsidiary Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Gretchen A. Sterling, as
 Attorney-in-Fact 02/26/2019
**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 share unit ("RSU") represents the contingent right to receive one share of Olympic Steel, Inc. (the "Company") common stock.
- The RSUs were acquired in connection with the Company's Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan, are fully vested for the Reporting Person, and will be settled upon the earlier of age 62 or departure from the Company (or earlier in limited circumstances specified in the award agreement).
- (2) Person, and will be settled upon the earlier of age 62 or departure from the Company (or earlier in limited circumstances specified in the award agreement).
- (3) This total number of RSUs includes previously-granted RSUs with different vesting and payment terms.

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