

# 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 *<br>Sereda Brian J                                |   | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>Energoous Corp [WATT]                    |                                   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>____ Director _____ 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)<br><b>Senior Vice President &amp; CFO</b> |  |            |       |  |   |  |   |                            |
|--|---|---|-----------------------------------|---|--|------------|-------|--|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>C/O ENERGOUS CORPORATION, 3590<br>NORTH FIRST STREET, SUITE 210 |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>01/02/2019                          |                                   |   |  |            |       |  |   |  |   |                            |
| (Street)<br>SAN JOSE, CA 95134   |   | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                                    |                                   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person   |  |            |       |  |   |  |   |                            |
| (City) (State) (Zip)   |   | <b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b> |                                   |   |  |            |       |  |   |  |   |                            |
| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)   | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                                   | 3. Transaction Code<br>(Instr. 8) |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |            |       | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |   |                            |
|  |   |   | Code                              | V   | Amount   | (A) or (D) | Price |  |   |  |   |                            |
| Common Stock   | 01/02/2019                              |   | S                                 | (1)   |  | 4,463      | D     | \$ 6.87  | 111,751   | (2)  | D |                            |
| Common Stock   |   |   |                                   |   |  |            |       |  | 12,015  |  | I | By The Sereda Family Trust |

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 Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code<br>(Instr. 8) |   | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |     | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
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|   |  |   |   | Code                              | V |  | (A)   | (D) |  |   |   |   |   |
|   |  |   |   |                                   |   |  |   |     |  |   |   |   |   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                             |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                     | Other |
| Sereda Brian J<br>C/O ENERGOUS CORPORATION<br>3590 NORTH FIRST STREET, SUITE 210<br>SAN JOSE, CA 95134 |               |           | Senior Vice President & CFO |       |

## Signatures

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|--|--|---------------------|
| /s/Bill Mannina, Attorney-in-Fact              |  | 01/04/2019          |
| <small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small> |  | <small>Date</small> |

## 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).

The sales reported were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person. Represents the number of shares required to be sold by the reporting person to cover tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of a restricted stock unit grant that was previously reported in Table I on the Form 4 filed on March 12, 2018. This sale is required for the satisfaction of tax withholding obligations to be funded by a "sell to cover" transaction and does not represent a discretionary trade by the reporting person.

(2) Includes 562 shares acquired under the Issuer's employee stock purchase plan on June 30, 2018.

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