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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 – Gaulding John			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Energous Corp [WATT]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
3590 NORTH FIRST	(First) STREET,	(Middle) SUITE 210	3. Date of Earliest 08/18/2016	Transactio	n (M	onth/Day	/Year)		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify b	pelow)	
SAN JOSE, CA 9513	(Street)		4. If Amendment,	Date Origii	nal F	iled(Month	n/Day/Yea	r)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filin, _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		able Line)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Deri	vative Se	ecuritie	s Acqui	red, Disposed of, or Beneficially	Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	(Instr. 8)		4. Secur (A) or D (Instr. 3,	isposed 4 and 5	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership	
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		(1) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		08/18/2016		S		352 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 14.38	19,602	D		

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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	5. N	Jumber	6. Date Exer	rcisable	7. Tit	tle and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	n of		and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	Der	ivative	(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Sec	urities			Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative				Acc	quired			(Instr	: 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security				(A)	or			4)			Following	Direct (D)	
					Dis	posed						Reported	or Indirect	
					of (D)						Transaction(s)	(I)	
					(Ins	str. 3,						(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					4, a	nd 5)								
										Amount				
							Date	Expiration		or				
							Exercisable		Title	Number				
							Excicisable	Date		of				
				Code V	(A)) (D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

Describer Operation Name (Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Gaulding John 3590 NORTH FIRST STREET, SUITE 210 SAN JOSE, CA 95134	Х						

Signatures

/s/ John Gaulding by Mark R. Busch, attorney-in-fact 08/19/2016 Date **Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Represents shares sold pursuant to a Sell-to-Cover Rule 10b5-1 Plan to pay taxes due in connection with the vesting of certain performance share units on June 30, 2016, which such shares of common stock were delivered on A and the 2016 which such shares of common stock were delivered on August 12, 2016.

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