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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Jensen Scott R | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORION ENERGY SYSTEMS, INC. [OESX] | | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner V Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|------------|---|---|--|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|---|------------------------------------|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2210 WOODLAND DRIVE | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/18/2012 | | | | | | | | | X Officer (give title Officer Specify below) Chief Financial Officer | | | | | | | |
| (Street) MANITOWOC WI 54220 | | | | 4. | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Line | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | | | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Person | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | - 1 | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Code (Ins | | | | | 5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported | s ally ollowing | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | : Direct r Indirect str. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | ount (A | | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | | | | | |
| Common Stock | | | 06/1 | 06/18/2012 | | | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 12,50 | 12,500 A | | \$0 | 24, | 500 | 500 D | | | | | |
| | | | Table II - | | | | | | quired, D s, option | | | | | | Owned | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day) | l Pate, | 4. Transa Code (8) | action | 5. Numbof Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (II 3, 4 and | ve es ed ed nstr. | | Exercisable and of Securities | | e and A curities dying ative Se | mount | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4) | e s ully g | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | | kpiration ate | Title | or Nu | nount Imber Shares | | | | | | | |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 2 | 06/18/2012 | | | A | | 25,000 | | (2) | 06 | 6/18/2022 | Comn | | 5,000 | \$0 | 25,000 | | D | | | |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$2.25 | | | | | | | | (3) | 08 | 3/30/2014 | Comn | | 7,000 | | 7,000 | | D | | | |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$2.2 | | | | | | | | (4) | 03 | 3/01/2017 | Comn | | 5,000 | | 25,000 | | D | | | |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$5.35 | | | | | | | | (5) | 08 | 3/08/2018 | Comn | | 6,502 | | 16,50 |)2 | D | | | |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$3.78 | | | | | | | | (6) | 05 | 5/19/2019 | Comn | | 1,759 | | 11,75 | i9 | D | | | |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$5.44 | | | | | | | | (7) | 02 | 2/05/2020 | Comn | | 00,000 | | 100,00 | 00 | D | | | |
| Stock Options (right to | \$3.46 | | | Ī | | | | | (8) | 05 | 5/18/2020 | Comn | | 0,329 | | 10,32 | .9 | D | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Restricted stock granted to the reporting person under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. The restricted stock vests and becomes exercisable in 20% increments on June 18, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017, respectively.
- 2. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted June 18, 2012, vests and becomes exercisable in 20% increments on June 18, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017, respectively.
- 3. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2003 Stock Option Plan. This option, granted August 30, 2004, vests as to 4,000 shares on each of March 31, 2008 and 2009, respectively.
- 4. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted March 1, 2007, vests and becomes exercisable in 20% increments on March 1, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012, respectively.
- 5. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted August 8, 2008, vests and becomes exercisable in 20% increments on August 8, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013, respectively.
- 6. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted May 19, 2009, vests and becomes exercisable in 20% increments on May 19, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014, respectively.
- 7. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted February 5, 2010, vests and becomes exercisable in 20% increments on February 5, 2011, 2012. 2013. 2014 and 2015, respectively.
- 8. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares under the 2004 Stock and Incentive Awards Plan. This option, granted May 18, 2010, vests and becomes exercisable in 20% increments on May 18, 2011, 2012,

2013, 2014 and 2015, respectively.

Remarks:

/s/ Steven R. Barth, Attorneyin-Fact for Scott R. Jensen 06/20/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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