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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Port Michael Harry</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 32000 AURORA ROAD SUITE B  (Street) SOLON OH 44139  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ENERGY FOCUS, INC/DE [ EFOI ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>CFO &amp; Secretary</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/16/2018</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/16/2018		M		1,173	A	\$0	12,033	D	
Common Stock	03/16/2018		F		413	D	\$2.64	11,620	D	

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/16/2018		M	1,173	03/16/2017 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/16/2019	Common Stock	1,173	\$2.64	1,174	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					08/16/2017 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/16/2019	Common Stock	3,334		3,334	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					03/13/2018 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/14/2020	Common Stock	5,723		5,723	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					04/03/2018 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/04/2020	Common Stock	19,307		19,307	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					02/26/2019 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/27/2021	Common Stock	49,167		49,167	D	
Stock Option	\$15.08					07/13/2016 <sup>(3)</sup>	09/17/2025	Common Stock	5,000		5,000	D	
Stock Option	\$3.17					04/03/2018 <sup>(3)</sup>	04/03/2027	Common Stock	28,961		28,961	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Energy Focus, Inc. Common Stock.
- Date applies to one-third of the total. Another one-third vests two years from the grant date and the final one-third vests three years from the grant date.
- Date applies to one-third of the total. The remaining two-thirds vest in equal monthly installments thereafter over a two year period.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Michael H. Port

03/19/2018

\*\* 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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