FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Danford Michael Dewayne | | | | | FC | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORUM ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. [FET] | | | | | | | | | | all app Direct Office | olicable) etor er (give title | Othe | Owner r (specify |
|--|--|-------|---------------|---|---|---|--|--------|---|------|--------------|----------------------|------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|---------------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 920 MEMORIAL CITY WAY SUITE 800 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/17/2012 | | | | | | | | | VP - Human Resources | | | | | |
| (Street) HOUST(| | | 77024 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | . Indivine) | ′ | | | | |
| | | Tabl | e I - Nor | n-Deriv | ative | Sec | curitie | s Acc | uired, | Disp | osed o | f, oı | r Bene | efici | ally | Owne | ed | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | | | Execution Date, | | Code (| Transaction Disposed Of (D) Code (Instr. 5) | | | cquired D) (Instr | (A) oi 3, 4 a | r ınd | Securi Benefi | cially I Following | 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 | e | Transa | action(s) 3 and 4) | | (11341.4) |
| Common Stock 04/17 | | | | | 7/2012 | | | P | P | | A \$ | | \$2 | 20 47,508 | | 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 (Instr. 3) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) | | Date, | | ransaction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | ative rities ired osed | 5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares | | ount nber | • | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ Michael D. Danford by John C. Ivascu as Attorney-in- Fact 04/17/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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