FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CARRIG JOHN A  (Last) (First) (Middle)  920 MEMORIAL CITY WAY  SUITE 1000  (Street)  HOUSTON TX 77024				3. Da 08/1	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORUM ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. [FET]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2012  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)      X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below)      6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)													Pers	OII			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date					Day/Year) if a		A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction   I			4. Securities Acquired (A) on Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)			and Securiti		ties Fo cially (D Following (I)		wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	() ()	A) or D)	Price	- 1	Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(
Common Stock 0				08/15	5/2012				A		5,897(1	)	A	\$0		38,605			D	
Common Stock																18,000			I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
	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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			n Date, Transa Code (			5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	rative rities ired r osed )	6. Date E Expiration (Month/I	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		nstr. 3		vative urity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These restricted stock units (the "Units") are granted pursuant to the Forum Energy Technologies, Inc. 2010 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Each Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, upon the vesting of the Units. The Units vest thirteen months from the date of grant, August 15, 2012, subject to accelerated vesting of the entire award upon a Change in Control (as defined in the Plan). The Units also include dividend equivalent rights that entitle the Reporting Person to the same dividends that would be payable were the shares of common stock underlying the Units actually outstanding at the time such dividends were issued. The credited dividends will be paid concurrently with the issuance of the shares of common stock to the Reporting

2. 18,000 shares were gifted to the John A Carrig Remainder Trust, Exempt Trust (the "Carrig Trust") for the benefit of Mr. Carrig's children. Mr. Carrig serves as trustee of the Carrig Trust and disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the Carrig Trust.

## Remarks:

/s/ John A. Carrig by John C. Ivascu as Attorney-in- Fact

08/17/2012

\*\* 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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