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1(b).

Stock,

\$0.01 par value

Common Stock,

\$0.01 par value

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

01/19/2018

01/19/2018

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Schwartz Spencer Issuer Symbol ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE (Check all applicable) **HOLDINGS INC [AAWW]** (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE 01/19/2018 EVP & CFO HOLDINGS, INC., 2000 WESTCHESTER AVENUE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting PURCHASE, NY 10577 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Common

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

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21,284

9,809

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(1)

45,539

35,730

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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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Share Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/19/2018		M	10,642	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	21,284

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schwartz Spencer C/O ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS, INC. 2000 WESTCHESTER AVENUE PURCHASE, NY 10577

EVP & CFO

Signatures

/s/ Michael W. Borkowski, as Attorney-in-Fact

01/22/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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Performance share units that were awarded for the three-year performance period ended December 31, 2017. As a result of the approval by the issuer's shareholders of the "Restricted Share Issuance" as described in the issuer's definitive proxy statement on Schedule 14A

(1) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, on August 12, 2016, these performance share units were deemed satisfied at maximum performance levels and were no longer subject to performance-based vesting requirements. On January 19, 2018, they converted into a number of shares of Common Stock on a two-for-one basis in accordance with their terms.

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