#### FORUM ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Form 4

February 25, 2014

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Mercado, Pablo G.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

below)

FORUM ENERGY

(Month/Day/Year)

02/21/2014

TECHNOLOGIES, INC. [FET]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

920 MEMORIAL CITY

WAY, SUITE 1000

VP - Corporate Development

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77024

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

(State)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following

Reported Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount

Common Stock

02/21/2014

4.699 \$0 A 27,035 (1)

(A)

D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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 onDerivative 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	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.96	02/21/2014		A	14,959	(2)	02/21/2024	Common Stock	14,95
Performance Shares	<u>(3)</u>	02/21/2014		A	1,566	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	1,566 (3)
Performance Shares	<u>(4)</u>	02/21/2014		A	1,566	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,566 (4)
Performance Shares	<u>(5)</u>	02/21/2014		A	1,567	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1,567 (5)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<b>.</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Mercado, Pablo G. 920 MEMORIAL CITY WAY SUITE 1000 HOUSTON, TX 77024			VP - Corporate Development				
Signatures							

/s/ Pablo G. Mercado by John C. Ivascu as Attorney-in-Fact 02/25/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).

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 Forum Energy Technologies, Inc.'s (the "Company") common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, upon the vesting of the Units. The Units vest according to the following schedule: 1/4 vest on each of the

- (1) first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant (2/21/2014), 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 person.
- (2) The options are exercisable in accordance with the following schedule: 1/4 of the options become exercisable on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant (2/21/2014).

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- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive shares of the Company's common stock, based on the Company's relative shareholder return versus that of the Company's peer group. Each performance share will settle for between 0 and 2 shares of common stock in the first quarter of 2015, based on achievement of performance measures over a one year period, following certification by the Nominating, Governance and Compensation Committee of performance results.
- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive shares of the Company's common stock, based on the Company's relative shareholder return versus that of the Company's peer group. Each performance share will settle for between 0 and 2 shares of common stock in the first quarter of 2016, based on achievement of performance measures over a two year period, following certification by the Nominating, Governance and Compensation Committee of performance results.
- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive shares of the Company's common stock, based on the Company's relative shareholder return versus that of the Company's peer group. Each performance share will settle for between 0 and 2 shares of common stock in the first quarter of 2017, based on achievement of performance measures over a three year period, following certification by the Nominating, Governance and Compensation Committee of performance results.

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