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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
BALL FREDERICK					ADVANCED ENERGY INDUSTRIES INC [AEIS]								X_Director				
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							Officer (giv	ve title below	O	ther (specify	below)		
1625 SHARP POINT DRIVE				5/3/2018													
(Street)				4. I	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)							Y) 6. Individual	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
FORT COLLINS, CO 80525 (City) (State) (Zip)													X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
			Table I	- Non-	Der	ivati	ve Sec	urities Ac	quir	ed, Dis	sposed o	f, or l	Beneficially Own	ed			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. D			Exec			3. Trans. Co (Instr. 8)	de	e 4. Securities Acqu or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Ov Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial		
						Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 5/3/2018				3			A		6000 (1)	A	\$61.48	6	6000 (<u>2)</u>		D		
Common Stock											2.	23000 (3)		I	By 1998 Ball Family Trust		
	Tab	le II - Der	ivative :	Securit	ies E	Bene	ficially	Owned (e.g.	, puts,	calls, wa	arran	ts, options, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deen Execution Date, if a	n (Inst		5. Code Derivative Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,		ve Securities I (A) or I of (D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			e and Amount of ties Underlying tive Security 3 and 4)	Derivative Security	Securities Beneficially Owned	Security:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security			Co	ode	de V (A)		(D)	Date Exercisable I		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The restricted stock units granted on May 3, 2018 will vest 100% at the first anniversary of the grant date. This is an annual non-employee director grant as outlined in the 2018 proxy.
- (2) Represents shares of restricted stock units.
- (3) Represents 23,000 shares issued to the 1998 Ball Family Trust.

Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BALL FREDERICK						
1625 SHARP POINT DRIVE	X					
FORT COLLINS, CO 80525						

Signatures

Thomas O. McGimpsey - Attorney-in-Fact 5/7/2018

**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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