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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).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smith Charles Andrew

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

PATTERSON UTI ENERGY INC

[PTEN]

(Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2019

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) **EVP & Chief Financial Officer**

10713 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY N., SUITE 800

(State)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

HOUSTON, TX 77064

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	ı
					Following	(Instr. 4)	
				(A)	Reported		

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Price Amount (D)

Common

Stock, \$.01 52,600 04/23/2019 \$0 D 153,158 (1) par value

per share

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

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7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ing	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	•				(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
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						Exercisable	Date				
				C + V	(A) (D)			0			
				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Smith Charles Andrew 10713 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY N.

EVP & Chief Financial Officer

SUITE 800 HOUSTON, TX 77064

Signatures

By Barry Huntsman pursuant to a limited power of attorney filed with the SEC on 09/08/2017 /s/ Barry Huntsman

04/25/2019

**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).
- Restricted stock units that convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis. One-third of the restricted stock units vests on April 23, 2020 and the remainder vests in equal monthly installments over the twenty-four months following April 23, 2020.

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