FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Gatti Amerino | | | | | HE | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HELIX ENERGY SOLUTIONS GROUP INC [HLX] | | | | | | | | | k all app Direc | , | ng Pers | 10% O | wner | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) 3505 W SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY N. SUITE 400 | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2022 | | | | | | | | | belov | | | Other (s | specify | |
| (Street) HOUST(| | | 7043 Zip) | | 4. If A | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. I Lin | | | | | | | | | | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | | Table | I - No | n-Deriva | tive S | Secu | rities | Acq | uired, | Dis | posed of | , or E | Bene | ficiall | y Own | ed | | | | |
| Date | | | Date | e onth/Day/Year) | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securitie Disposed (5) | es Acqu Of (D) (I | ired (<i>F</i> nstr. 3, | 4 and Secur Benef | | cially l Following | Form: | Direct Indirect str. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | or P | rice | Transa | saction(s) : 3 and 4) | | | | | | | | |
| Common Stock 10/0 | | | | | /2022 | | | | A | | 6,274 | A | \$ | $0.00^{(1)}$ | 0 ⁽¹⁾ 158,359 | | D | | | |
| | 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) | if any | emed ion Date, /Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Number of Derivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4) | | Str. | Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. | Ownership form: Direct (D) or Indirect | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code V (A | | (A) | (D) | Date Exercis | able | Expiration Date | Title | of Share | | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. This restricted stock award was granted pursuant to the Company's 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan (as Amended and Restated effective May 15, 2019) and therefore has no purchase or sales price.

Remarks:

/s/ Ken Neikirk by power of attorney

10/03/2022

** 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).
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