OLYMPIC STEEL INC

Form 4

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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 * GOLDSTEIN HOWARD | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| GOLDSTEIN HOWARD | Symbol OLYMPIC STEEL INC [ZEUS] | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | * ** / | | | |
| C/O OLYMPIC STEEL, INC., 22901 MILLCREEK BLVD., SUITE 650 | (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2014 | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | | |
| (Street) | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
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HIGHLAND HILLS, OH 44122

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|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|----------|
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | le I - Non-I | Derivative | Secu | rities Acqu | ired, Disposed of | , or Beneficial | y Owned |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | , | |
| Common Stock | 03/05/2014 | | M | 2,000 | A | \$ 12.32 | 2,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/05/2014 | | S | 1,262 | D | \$ 27.414 (1) | 738 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/06/2014 | | S | 738 | D | \$ 27.5 | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 3,000 | I | By Trust |

Person

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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. Number | | 6. Date Exercisable and | | 7. Title and Amount of | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | Transaction of Derivative Expirati | | Expiration Date | | Underlying Securities | |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year) | | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired | | | | | |
| | Derivative | | | | (A) or | | | | | |
| | Security | | | | Disposed of | | | | | |
| | | | | | (D) | | | | | |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, 4, | | | | | |
| | | | | | and 5) | | | | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Director Stock Option | \$ 12.32 | 03/05/2014 | | M | 2,000 | (2) | 04/29/2014 | Common | 2,000 | |
| (Right to Buy) | , | | | | _, | _ | | Stock | , | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GOLDSTEIN HOWARD C/O OLYMPIC STEEL, INC. 22901 MILLCREEK BLVD., SUITE 650 HIGHLAND HILLS, OH 44122



Signatures

/s/ Gretchen A. Sterling, as Attorney-in-Fact

03/07/2014

**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).

Price reflects the weighted average sales price for multiple transactions that ranged from \$ 27.40 to \$ 27.75 per share. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide, upon request by the Commission Staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information

(1) Person undertakes to provide, upon request by the Commission Staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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| (2) This option was granted on April 29, 2004 and vested in equal installments on June 1, 2004, September 1, 2004 and December 1, 2004. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, <i>see</i> Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number. |
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