## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Jenkins William D Jr</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GENERAC HOLDINGS INC. [ GNRC ]									ationship k all appli Directo	cable)	ng Per	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov		
(Last) 3175 S. V	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3175 S. WINCHESTER BLVD.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2017									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify	
(Street) CAMPBELL CA 95008 (City) (State) (Zip)					-	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line) X	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					action	ar)	CURITIES ACQ  2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transac	tion	4. Secur	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned	int of es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
						2015		-	v	Amount	(D)	F'	ice	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s) and 4)	(Instr. 4)				
Common	Stock	Т	able II -	Deriva		Seci			uired, Di			, or Ber	nefici		<u> </u>	588	<u>                                     </u>	D		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		ı of		6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day	Date		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivativ	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	05/01/2017			A		1,417		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	1,4	17	\$0	1,417		D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each Deferred Stock Unit represents the right to receive one share of Common Stock upon separation from service pursuant to the terms of the Generac Deferred Stock Unit Plan for Non-Employee Directors, effective on April 1, 2017 ("Deferred Stock Plan").
- 2. Following separation of service pursuant to the Deferred Stock Plan.

/s/ Raj Kanuru, as Attorney in Fact 05/03/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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