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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Woodrum Clayton Eugene			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RING ENERGY, INC. [REI]						_X_ Direct	(Cho		able) 10% Owner	
4115 S. LEWIS	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2017			-	Office	r (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify b	elow)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
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Common Stock		01/26/2017			G	200	· /		11,923			` /	Trust (1)
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Reporting Owners

D (O N /	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Woodrum Clayton Eugene 4115 S. LEWIS TULSA, OK 74105	X					

Signatures

/s/ Clayton E. Woodrum	01/27/2017
**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)
- (1) Shares held in the name of Patricia & Clayton E. Woodrum TTEES FBO Patricia Woodrum Trust.

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