FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)		1										
Name and Address of Reporting Person * Petrelli Anthony Benedict				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RING ENERGY, INC. [REI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6250 RAIN DANCE TRAIL			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/26/2018						Office	er (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify	below)	
(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					
LITTLETON, CO 80125 (City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
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(Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	(Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of ((Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia Reported	t of Securities ly Owned Following Γransaction(s)		Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
				(Month/Day/Yea	Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	Stock									85,000	000		D (1)	
Common	Stock									5,000			I	IRA of Shonya Petrelli
Restricte	d Stock		12/26/2018		A		55,600	A	\$ 4.78	85,600			D (3)	
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line for	r each class of secur	ities beneficially	owned dire	Pers	sons wh tained ir	o respo	rm are	not requ	ction of int uired to res	spond unle	ess	1474 (9-02)
				Derivative Securi						ly Owned				
Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y	3A. Deemed Execution Da	4.	5.	6. D and (Mo	and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) A U Se (I		7. Ti Amo Und Secu	itle and 8. Price of			Owners Form o Derivat Securit Direct (or India	Beneficia Ownershi y: (Instr. 4) D) ect
				Code V	(A) (D		-	Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Petrelli Anthony Benedict 6250 RAIN DANCE TRAIL LITTLETON, CO 80125	X					

Signatures

/s/ Anthony B. Petrelli 12/28/2018

**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 acquired in the IRA of Anthony B. Petrelli.
- (2) Shares acquired in the IRA of Anthony B. Petrelli's spouse, Shonya Petrelli.
- (3) Restricted stock grants vest 20% per year for 5 years.

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