Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. Form 4

January 23, 2017

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

See Instruction

Vogel Gary Issuer Symbol Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. [EGLE] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title C/O EAGLE BULK SHIPPING 01/20/2017 below) INC., 300 FIRST STAMFORD Chief Executive Officer PLACE, 5TH FLOOR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

STAMFORD, CT 06902 (City) (State)

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Aco	uired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Dis		•	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common				1 11110 01110	(2)	\$			
Stock	01/20/2017		A <u>(1)</u>	20,000	A	φ 4.5	862,616	D	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	porting Owner Name / Address			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

X

Vogel Gary

C/O EAGLE BULK SHIPPING INC. 300 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE, 5TH FLOOR STAMFORD, CT 06902

Chief Executive Officer

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Signatures

/s/ Gary Vogel 01/23/2017

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).

On January 20, 2017, Gary Vogel, a member of the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. (the "Issuer") and the Issuer's Chief Executive Officer, acquired 20,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock pursuant to the Stock Purchase Agreement (the

(1) "Agreement"), dated December 13, 2016, by and among the Issuer and the investors listed on Schedule 1 thereto. The closing of the transactions pursuant to the Agreement was contingent on approval by the Issuer's shareholders, which was received on January 20, 2017. The Board approved the acquisitions of common stock pursuant to the Agreement in advance of the Issuer entering into the Agreement.

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