WAITE ANDREW L

Form 4

December 17, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WAITE ANDREW L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORUM ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. [FET]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 920 MEMOR WAY, SUITE		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2012	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
HOUSTON,	(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77024		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) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative (Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	12/13/2012		S	75,045	D	\$ 25.12	41,146,089	I	See footnote (1) (2)	
Common Stock	12/14/2012		S	24,000	D	\$ 25	41,122,089	I	See footnote (1) (2)	
Common Stock							7,379	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Exercisable Dat	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)			K	marcs		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WAITE ANDREW L 920 MEMORIAL CITY WAY **SUITE 1000** HOUSTON, TX 77024

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Signatures

/s/ Andrew L. Waite by John C. Ivascu as Attorney-in-Fact

12/17/2012

**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).

Following their sale of shares on December 13, 2012 and December 14, 2012, SCF-V, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("SCF-V"), SCF-VI, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("SCF-VI") and SCF-VII, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("SCF-VII"), in the aggregate own 41,122,089 shares of common stock. The general partner of SCF-V is SCF-V, G.P., Limited Partnership, a Delaware

- (1) limited partnership ("SCF-V GP"), the general partner of SCF-VI is SCF-VI, G.P., Limited Partnership, a Delaware limited partnership ("SCF-VI GP") and the general partner of SCF-VII is SCF-VII, G.P., Limited Partnership, a Delaware limited partnership ("SCF-VII GP"). L.E. Simmons & Associates, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("LESA") is the sole general partner of each of SCF-V GP, SCF-VI GP and SCF-VII GP. Mr. Waite serves as a managing director of LESA. (Continued in Footnote 2)
- As such, Mr. Waite may be deemed to have dispositive power over the shares of common stock owned by SCF-V, SCF-VI and SCF-VII. Mr. Waite disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.

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