

HELIX ENERGY SOLUTIONS GROUP INC  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Å Staffeldt Erik		(Month/Day/Year)	HELIX ENERGY SOLUTIONS GROUP INC [HLX]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
14 N. FRENCH OAKS CIRCLE			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) VP - Finance and Accounting	
WOODLANDS, Å TX Å 77382			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	9,306 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Å

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title    Amount or Number of			

				Shares		(I)	
						(Instr. 5)	
Performance Share Units	Â (2)	Â (3)	Common Stock	6,912 (4)	\$ (2)	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Staffeldt Erik 14 N. FRENCH OAKS CIRCLE WOODLANDS, TX 77382	Â	Â	Â VP - Finance and Accounting	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Alisa B. Johnson by power of attorney  
Date: 07/29/2015

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Includes 1,984 shares held through the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.  
Each PSU represents a right to receive one share of Company common stock. The actual number of shares to be received upon vesting ranges from 0% to 200% dependent on the Company's relative shareholder return as compared to its peer group over a three-year period beginning January 1, 2015 and ending December 31, 2017. The amount reported is 200% of the number of PSUs granted and the maximum that can be earned.
- (3) Upon payment of the PSUs which shall occur no later than March 15, 2018.
- (4) Amount reported is 200% of the number of PSUs granted and the maximum number of shares that may be earned.

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