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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Gillman Charles M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

NOVATION COMPANIES, INC.

(Check all applicable)

[NOVC]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

08/23/2017

X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify

Officer (give title

C/O NOVATION COMPANIES. INC., 500 GRAND BOULEVARD,

(First)

SUITE 201B

(Last)

(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

KANSAS CITY, MO 64106

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Stock

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Common 08/23/2017 Α

Price Amount (D) 208,333 \$0

(A)

304,487

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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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						(A) (D)			of			
					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

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

Gillman Charles M C/O NOVATION COMPANIES, INC. 500 GRAND BOULEVARD, SUITE 201B KANSAS CITY, MO 64106

X

Signatures

/s/ Charles M.

Gillman 08/25/2017

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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Grant of restricted shares of common stock under the Novation Companies, Inc. 2015 Incentive Stock Plan in payment of a portion of the (1) annual base compensation for each non-employee director. The number of restricted shares was calculated based on the closing price of the common stock on the grant date. The restricted shares will vest on August 23, 2018.

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