

SACHDEV RAKESH  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SACHDEV RAKESH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Element Solutions Inc [ESI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O ELEMENT SOLUTIONS  
INC, 1450 CENTREPARK BLVD,  
SUITE 210

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/31/2019

(Street)  
WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	01/31/2019		M		56,391 A ① 370,641	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2019		F		22,190 (2) D \$ 11.1 348,451	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2019		M		112,782 A ③ 461,233	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2019		F		44,538 (4) D \$ 11.1 416,695	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2019		M		97,552 A ⑤ 514,247	D	

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Common Stock 01/31/2019 F 38,387<sub>(6)</sub> D \$ 11.1 475,860 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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount of Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	01/31/2019		M	56,391 <u>(1)</u>	<u>(7)</u> <u>(7)</u>	Common Stock 56,391
Performance Stock Units	\$ 0	01/31/2019		M	112,782 <u>(3)</u>	<u>(7)</u> <u>(7)</u>	Common Stock 112,782
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	01/31/2019		M	97,552 <u>(5)</u>	<u>(7)</u> <u>(7)</u>	Common Stock 97,552

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SACHDEV RAKESH  
C/O ELEMENT SOLUTIONS INC  
1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210  
WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

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## Signatures

/s/ Rakesh Sachdev 02/01/2019

\*\*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).

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- (1) In connection with the Reporting Person's retirement as the Issuer's Chief Executive Officer, the vesting of 56,391 restricted stock units ("RSUs") previously reported on 2/23/2017 was accelerated to 1/31/2019. Each RSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) This number represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations due upon the vesting of the RSUs described in footnote 1 above.
- (3) In connection with the Reporting Person's retirement as the Issuer's Chief Executive Officer, the vesting of 112,782 performance restricted stock units ("PRSUs") previously reported on 2/23/2017 was accelerated to 1/31/2019. Each PRSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (4) This number represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations due upon the vesting of the PRSUs described in footnote 3 above.
- (5) In connection with the Reporting Person's retirement as the Issuer's Chief Executive Officer, the vesting of 97,552 RSUs previously reported on 2/21/2018 was accelerated to 1/31/2019. Each RSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (6) This number represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations due upon the vesting of the RSUs described in footnote 5 above.
- (7) These grants were previously reported on 2/23/2017 and 2/21/2018. Each RSU and PRSU, as applicable, represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.

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