Christensen Christopher R.

Form 5

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Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Christensen Christopher R.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	ENSIGN GROUP, INC [ENSG] 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended	(Check all applicable)			
27101 PUER	TA REAL,	SUITE 450	(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2018	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			

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(check applicable line)

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-De	rivative Se	curitio	es Acqu	ired, Disposed	of, or Benefi	cially 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. Securit (A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/12/2018	Â	G	15,000	D	\$ 0	1,374,442	I (1)	By Hobble Creek Investments, LLC
Common Stock	10/10/2018	Â	G	12,000	D	\$0	1,362,442	I (1)	By Hobble Creek Investments, LLC
Common	11/16/2018	Â	A	1,000	A	\$0	1,363,442	I (1)	By Hobble

Stock Creek

Investments, LLC

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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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relation	ısınps
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Christensen Christopher R.

27101 PUERTA REAL, SUITE 450 X President and CEO MISSION VIEJO, CAÂ 92691

Signatures

/s/ Chad A. Keetch, as power of attorney 02/14/2019

**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).
- (1) Christopher R. Christensen is the sole member of this entity.

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