FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ESCO TECHNOLOGIES INC [ ESE ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
RICHEY VICTOR L JR					1	ESCO TECHNOLOGIES INC [ ESE ]									X Direc		ctor	10% C		wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. D	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									X Office below					(specify			
C/O ESCO TECHNOLOGIES						05/01/2019										Ch	hairman, CEO & Preside		siden	ıt		
9900 A CLAYTON ROAD																						
						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street)																Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
ST LOUIS MO 63124															X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting							
					١.										Person							
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution			3. Transa Code ( 8)		Disposed	ies Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 05/01/2						/2019					22,422	2	A	\$74.		79 345,925(1)		D				
	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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Trans			of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/E	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)				vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Includes 33 shares acquired under Employee Stock Purchase Plan since the date of the reporting person's last Form 4.

## Remarks:

Power of Attorney on file

J. D. Fisher, Attorney-in-fact 05/02/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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