FORM 4

### **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  STOLZE JAMES M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ESCO TECHNOLOGIES INC [ ESE ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(F. CO TECHN	irst) OLOGIES INC.	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2022						_	Officer below)	r (give title	10% Owner Other (specify below)			
9900 A ( (Street) ST. LOU	TIS M		63124	4	. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  K Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
		Ta	ble I - Non-D	erivati	ve Se	ecuritie	s Ac	quired, D	isposed	of, or Be	eneficially	/ Owned					
Date				Transaction te onth/Day	- 1	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (In:	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		red (A) or str. 3, 4 and 9	Beneficia Owned For Reported	s illy ollowing	6. Owne Form: D (D) or Ir (I) (Insti	Direct Ir ndirect B r. 4) C	. Nature of ndirect eneficial ownership nstr. 4)	
								Code	Amour	t (A) (D)	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a					
	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)	Code	action (Instr.	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)		of Securi Underlyir Derivativ	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	ly C	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	11(5)			
Restricted Share Units	(1)	01/19/2022		A		19.2087		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	19.2087	\$87.4	21,004.76	584	D		

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted Share Units (RSUs) issued in lieu of cash dividends on the RSUs held by the director on the record date. Eash RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock. A portion of the RSU representing dividends on unvested shares become payable in Common Stock and/or cash when the underlying shares vest or concurrently with the distribution of the underlying shares if the director has so designated. The remaining RSUs become payable in common stock upon, or at the election of the reporting person in installments beginning upon, the termination of the reporting person's service as a director or such earlier time as the director may have designated.

## Remarks:

Power of Attorney on file

J. D. Fisher, Attorney-in-fact 01/21/2022

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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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