

HOUSTON AMERICAN ENERGY CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 BOYLAN JOHN P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 HOUSTON AMERICAN ENERGY CORP [HUSA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 801 TRAVIS STREET, SUITE 1425  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/31/2017

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chairman, CEO and President

HOUSTON, TX 77002  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock					60,000	D	
Common Stock					109,303	I	By EJC Ventures LP

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 Number Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.05							12/09/2009	06/09/2019	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.08							12/15/2010	06/15/2020	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.07							12/13/2011	06/13/2021	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.65							12/11/2012	06/11/2022	Common Stock	100,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.3075							12/11/2013	06/11/2023	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.415							12/10/2014	06/10/2024	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.2158							04/23/2016	04/23/2025	Common Stock	900,000
12% Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0.2	01/31/2017		P		52.5		01/31/2017	12/31/2050 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	262,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BOYLAN JOHN P 801 TRAVIS STREET, SUITE 1425 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		Chairman, CEO and President	

## Signatures

John P. Boylan                      02/01/2017

\_\_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) Convertible preferred stock has no expiration date.

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