

Advanced Emissions Solutions, Inc.

Form 4

March 05, 2015

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MATTISON GRAHAM O

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O ADVANCED EMISSIONS
SOLUTIONS, INC., 9135 S.
RIDGELINE BLVD., SUITE 200**

(Street)

HIGHLANDS RANCH, CO 80129

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**Advanced Emissions Solutions, Inc.
[ADES]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/03/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

VP Strategic Initiatives & IR

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

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) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|---|
| Common Stock | 03/03/2015 | | A | (A) or (D) A | 3,638 (1) \$ 0 (2) | 14,640 (3) | 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)**

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| 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) | 8. D S (I |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|---|--------------------|
| Performance Share Units | (4) | 03/03/2015 | | A | 7,276 (5) | (4) (4) | Common Stock | 7,276 (5) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| MATTISON GRAHAM O C/O ADVANCED EMISSIONS SOLUTIONS, INC. 9135 S. RIDGELINE BLVD., SUITE 200 HIGHLANDS RANCH, CO 80129 | VP Strategic Initiatives & IR |

Signatures

/s/ Christine B. Amrhein, by power of attorney 03/05/2015

**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).

- Represents Restricted Stock issued pursuant to the 2015 Long Term Incentive Plan ("LTIP") under the Advanced Emissions Solutions, Inc. (the "Company") Amended and Restated 2007 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended (the "2007 Plan"). The Restricted Stock will vest in
- (1) equal installments on January 2, 2016, January 2, 2017 and January 2, 2018 subject to continuous service with the Company or its related entities unless such shares vest sooner pursuant to Section 11 of the 2007 Plan or the reporting person's employment agreement with the Company.
 - (2) The shares of Restricted Stock were granted for services to be rendered to the Company by the reporting person.
 - (3) Of the amount shown, 6,167 shares are restricted stock (not fully vested and subject to forfeiture under the 2007 Plan).
 - (4) Each Performance Share Unit ("PSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock upon vesting of the PSU, which will occur, if at all, on January 2, 2018 subject to the reporting person's continuous service with the Company or its related entities and the achievement of certain pre-established goals to be measured as of December 31, 2017, unless such PSUs vest sooner at the target amount pursuant to Section 11 of the 2007 Plan or the reporting person's employment agreement with the Company.
 - (5) Represents the maximum number of PSUs that will vest, if at all, which is 200% of the target payout, granted pursuant to the 2015 LTIP under the 2007 Plan.
 - (6) The PSUs were granted for services to be rendered to the Company by the reporting person.

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