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## 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* CHISHOLM JOHN						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NATURAL GAS SERVICES GROUP INC</u>									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
[ NGS ]										X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (spec											
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)   539 GREEN ISLE BEACH 03/28/2012												below)	(give the		below)	specify					
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)											
MONTGOMERY TX 77356															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(Sta	te) (Z	Zip)												Person						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Of (D) Code (Instr.			es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5			Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	(A) or (D) Price Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Transaction(s)						
Common S	Stock			03/28/	/2012				A		2,500(1	.) /	<b>x</b>   :	<b>\$13.4</b> 3	3 5,	000	D				
1. Title of Derivative																					
Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio if any (Month/I	Day/Year)	Code ( 8)					on Da Day/Ye		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)			Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	s Illy J	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	N of	umber							
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.61								12/31/20	007	12/31/2017	Comm Stocl		,500		2,500	)	D			
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$13.9								01/01/20	007	01/01/2017	Comm Stock		,500		2,500	)	D			
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$8								03/31/20	)09	03/18/2019	Comm Stocl		,500		2,500	)	D			
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$20.48								03/31/20	008	03/18/2018	Comm Stocl		,500		2,500	)	D			
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.74								03/31/20	010	03/22/2020	Comm Stocl		,000		5,000	)	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The acquisition of the 2,500 shares of common stock reflects an award of restricted stock on March 28, 2012, pursuant to the Company's 2009 Restricted Stock/Unit Plan. The award vests in installments of 625 shares beginning on March 31, 2013, with additional 625 share installments vesting on June 30, September 30 and December 31, 2013, although the award is also subject to accelerated vesting upon the death, disability or retirement of the recipient, or upon a change in control of the Company.

<u>/s/ JOHN W. CHISHOLM</u> 03/30/2012

\*\* 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).

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