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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Grimes R. Keith

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

HOUSTON AMERICAN ENERGY

CORP [HUSA]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

01/31/2017

801 TRAVIS STREET, SUITE 1425

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

Code

3.

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

Stock

30,000 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber 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 of Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.18					01/02/2013	07/02/2022	Common Stock	25,000
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)	\$ 0.2028					12/09/2015	06/09/2025	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.2201					12/07/2016	06/07/2026	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.2201					06/07/2017	06/07/2026	Common Stock	150,000
12% Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0.2	01/31/2017		P	25	01/31/2017	12/31/2050(1)	Common Stock	125,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe		

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Grimes R. Keith 801 TRAVIS STREET, SUITE 1425 X HOUSTON, TX 77002

Signatures

Keith Grimes 02/01/2017

**Signature of 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) Series A Preferred Stock has no expiration date.

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