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longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Print or Typ	e Response	es)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEINBACH TRACY A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORWARD AIR CORP [FWRD]					4	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 430 AIRPORT ROAD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2015						r (give title belo		Other (specify b	elow)		
(Street) GREENEVILLE, TN 37745			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						
(City)		(State)	(Zip)	Tal	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Dispo					osed 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	f Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of	5. Amount of Securitie Beneficially Owned For Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 3 and 4)		Following (s) F	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
					Code	V	Amour	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common S	Stock		05/13/2015		A		1,640 (1)	A	\$ 0	22,844			D	
				Perivative Securiti	•	cont the f	ained in orm dis	n this for splays a c of, or Bene	m are curre eficial	not req	uired to re	nformation espond unl ntrol numb	ess	EC 1474 (9- 02)
(Instr. 3) I	Conversion		. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Da Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)	5. Number of	and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Compared to the compared		7. Ti Amo Undo Secu (Inst 4)	Amount or Number	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form of Derivati Security Direct (l or Indire	(Instr. 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)		rcisable	Date		of Shares				
Report	ting ()	wners												

Describer Occurs Name (Additional	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address		10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LEINBACH TRACY A 430 AIRPORT ROAD GREENEVILLE, TN 37745	X					

Signatures

/s/ Michael P. McLean, Attorney-in-Fact	05/15/2015
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 awarded under the Forward Air Corporation Amended and Restated Non-Employee Director Stock Plan in a transaction exempt from Section (1) 16(b) under Rule 16b-3. The stock fully vests on the earlier of (a) the day immediately prior to the first Annual Meeting that occurs after the grant date or (b) the first anniversary of the grant date.

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