FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RUBLE CHRIS C				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORWARD AIR CORP [FWRD]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President - Expedited Services						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1915 SNAPPS FERRY ROAD, BUILDING N					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2018													
(Street)				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						
GREENEVILLE, TN 37745																		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Tab	ole I -	Non-	Deriv	vative Se	curities	Acqu	ired, Dispo	osed of, or l	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Trans Date (Month/	saction /Day/Year)	Exec any	A. Deemed secution Date, if by Month/Day/Year)	Cod (Ins		(A) or D: (D)		Disposed of , 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Following	or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership		
								+	ode	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price				(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		02/08/2	2018				F(1)			255	D	\$ 0	22,692.8365		D		
Common	Stock		02/09/2	2018				F	(1)		219	D	\$ 0	22,473.8	73.8365		D	
Common	Stock													29			I	By Son
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						Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable l	Expiratio Date	n Titl	Amount or e Number of Shares				
Repor	ting O	wners																
Done	Oumer N	mo / Adduss				Relati	onsh	ips										
Keporting	Owner Nar	ne / Address	Director	r 10% Ow	ner (Officer						Other						
BUILDIN	APPS FER	RY ROAD N 37745				Preside	ent -	Expe	edited	l Ser	vices							

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Michael L. Hance, Attorney-in-Fact

Signature of Reporting Person

Signatures

- * 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).

02/12/2018 Date

(1) Restricted stock withheld by Issuer to satisfy minimum tax withholding obligation on vesting of restricted stock.

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