ENSIGN GROUP, INC

Form 5

February 16, 2016

FORM 5 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB

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

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported Form 4 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions Reported

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Port Barry			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	ENSIGN GROUP, INC [ENSG] 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify			
27101 PUERTA REAL, SUITE 450			12/31/2015	below) below) Vice President			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			
			,	(check applicable line)			
MISSION V	IEJO, CA 9	2691		_X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	uritie	s Acqui	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/23/2015	Â	G	6,340	D	\$0	108,924 (1)	D	Â
Common Stock	11/25/2015	Â	G	6,340	D	\$ 0	102,584	D	Â

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
					(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
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						Exercisable	Date		of		
					(A) (D)				Shares		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
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Port Barry 27101 PUERTA REAL, SUITE 450	Â	Â	Vice President	Â			
MISSION VIEJO, CA 92691							

Signatures

/s/ Suzanne Snapper as power of attorney 02/16/2016

**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).
- (1) On December 23, 2015, the Company effected a 2-for-1 stock split. The number of shares reported throughout this Form 5 have been adjusted to reflect the stock split.

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