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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> SCHOONOVER JAMES A				Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOUSTON AMERICAN ENERGY CORP [HUSA]					
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/13/2018		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
17	70 COUN	TY ROAD	H2								
		(Street)				(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group		
WHITE BEAR TOWNSHIP, MN 55110					_X_Director10% Owner OfficerOther (give title below) (specify below)			Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	lon-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned		
	Fitle of Secur Istr. 4)	ity			2. Amount of Beneficially ((Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4) Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)			3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect		

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
12% Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	01/31/2017	(1)	Common Stock	750,000	\$ 0.2	D	Â
12% Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	05/03/2017	(2)	Common Stock	277,778	\$ 0.36	D	Â
Warrant	06/23/2017	06/23/2018	Common Stock	100,000	\$ 0.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/13/2018	04/13/2028	Common Stock	8,333	\$ 0.267	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SCHOONOVER JAMES A 1770 COUNTY ROAD H2 WHITE BEAR TOWNSHIP, MN 55110	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		

Signatures

James	04/16/2018		
Schoonover	04/10/2018		
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 12% Series A Convertible Preferred Stock has no expiration date.
- (2) 12% Series B Convertible Preferred Stock has no expiration date.

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