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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Gallegos John A. Jr.

(Middle)

20475 STATE HIGHWAY 249, SUITE 300

(Street)

(First)

HOUSTON, TX 77070

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

[ICD]

Independence Contract Drilling, Inc.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

10/01/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

below) President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

(State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(A)

or

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	(1)	10/01/2018		A	235,765		(2)	(3)	Common Stock	235,765	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Gallegos John A. Jr.

20475 STATE HIGHWAY 249

SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77070 President & CEO

Signatures

/s/ Philip A. Choyce, by power of attorney 10/03/2018

**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) (1) Conversion occurs on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) The reporting person received a restricted stock unit award on October 1, 2018, subject to a three-year vesting schedule, vesting 1/3 on the first anniversary of the date of grant, 1/3 on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and 1/3 on the third anniversary of the date of grant. ICD will settle vested RSU's within 30 days of the date that such RSU's vest.
- (3) (3) This grant does not have an expiration date.

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