

FreightCar America, Inc.
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 McNeely Joseph E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA
 SUITE 1300

(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 FreightCar America, Inc. [RAIL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 01/14/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	01/14/2015		A ⁽¹⁾		8,368	A	\$ 0 (2)
					15,694	D	

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance shares	(3)	01/14/2015		A(4)	8,368 (5)	(5) (5)	Common stock	8,368
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.55					(7) 01/15/2024	Common stock	31,750
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.39					(8) 10/04/2023	Common stock	75,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.39					(9) 05/01/2023	Common stock	1,660
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.56					(10) 01/18/2023	Common stock	8,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.4					(11) 01/12/2022	Common stock	16,900
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.88					(12) 01/13/2021	Common stock	12,600

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McNeely Joseph E TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA SUITE 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60606	X		President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Kathleen M. Boege, as attorney
in fact 01/16/2015

**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).
- (1) Exempt issuance of restricted shares under Rule 16(b)-3 pursuant to the Issuer's 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan. These shares were granted on January 14, 2015 and will vest on January 14, 2018. The restricted shares are subject to certain restrictions (including possible forfeiture).
- (2) The restricted shares were granted pursuant to the Issuer's 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan, for which no consideration was paid by the recipient.
- (3) Each performance share represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of common stock subject to the Issuer's achievement of performance goals.
- (4) Exempt issuance of performance shares under Rule 16(b)-3 pursuant to the Issuer's 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan.
- (5) Vesting of these performance shares depends on the Issuer's annual return on invested capital and basic earnings per share from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017. The target number of performance shares is reported. Between 0% and 200% of the target number of shares may vest on January 14, 2018, with the vesting percentage determined based on actual performance.
- (6) Performance shares were granted pursuant to the Issuer's 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan, for which no consideration was paid by the recipient.
- (7) On January 15, 2014, the recipient was granted 31,750 options. 10,583 stock options are fully vested and currently exercisable, 10,583 stock options will vest on January 15, 2016 and 10,584 stock options will vest on January 15, 2017.
- (8) On October 4, 2013, the recipient was granted 75,000 options. 25,000 stock options are fully vested and currently exercisable, 25,000 stock options will vest on October 4, 2015 and 25,000 stock options will vest on October 4, 2016.
- (9) On May 1, 2013, the recipient was granted 1,660 options. 553 stock options are fully vested and currently exercisable, 553 stock options will vest on May 1, 2015 and 554 stock options will vest on May 1, 2016.
- (10) On January 18, 2013, the recipient was granted 8,500 options. 2,766 stock options are fully vested and currently exercisable, 2,766 stock options will vest on January 18, 2015 and 2,768 stock options will vest on January 18, 2016.
- (11) On January 12, 2012, the recipient was granted 16,900 options which are fully vested and currently exercisable.
- (12) On January 13, 2011, the recipient was granted 12,600 options which are fully vested and currently exercisable.

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