Caron John H Form 4 February 01, 2018

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Caron John H			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol IZEA, Inc. [IZEA]				g	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Mildule)			nsaction			X Director	100	6 Owner	
480 NORTH ORLANDO AVENUE, SUITE 200			(Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2018					Officer (give title Delow)  Officer (give title below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
WINTER PA	ARK, FL 32789						Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (D) 4 and (A) or	)) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock (1)	01/31/2018			Code V A	6,053 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 0 (1)	20,649	D		
Common Stock								20,000	I	By John H. Caron 1999 Family Trust (2)	

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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				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Caron John H 480 NORTH ORLANDO AVENUE SUITE 200 WINTER PARK, FL 32789	X						

## **Signatures**

By: /s/ LeAnn Hitchcock as attorney-in-fact for John H. Caron 02/02/2018

\*\*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).
- Restricted Stock received for 2018 director fees valued at \$25,000 based on the closing market price of \$4.13 on the grant date. Award (1) vests in equal monthly installments on the last day of each month from January through December 31, 2018. In the event the Reporting Person no longer serves as a director at each vesting date, any unvested shares will be forfeited to the Issuer.
- (2) John H. Caron, as trustee, has voting power and investment power over the securities held by the John H. Caron 1999 Family Trust.

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