FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BRONSON JOSEPH R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PDF SOLUTIONS INC [ PDFS ]									neck a	ll app	nship of Reporting F I applicable) Director		Person(s) to Issue	
(Last)	`	(First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2016										Officer (give title below)		Other (spo		` '
333 W. SAN CARLOS ST. SUITE 1000					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica Line)					
(Street) SAN JOS	Street) SAN JOSE CA 95110														X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)						3, 4 Secu Bene Own		cially I	6. Owner Form: D (D) or Indirect (Instr. 4	irect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v			(A) or (D)	Price	,   F	Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 3 and		(1150. 4)		(111501. 4)
Common Stock 07/01/20						2016			A <sup>(1)</sup>		5,156	5	A \$0		18,919		8,919	D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ion Date,	Code (Ir	ransaction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4)  Amount or Numbor of Title Shares			ıt r		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Dire or Ir (I) (II 4)	ct (D) idirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These shares represent an award of restricted stock units granted under the Company's Director Compensation Program. 25% of the Total Shares vested on July 1, 2016 and 25% of the Total Shares shall vest annually thereafter until fully vested, provided that the reporting person continues to serve as a Director on the Board of Directors.

/s/ Gregory Walker, Attorney- 07/05/2016 in-Fact for Joseph R. Bronson

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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