

Luckshire Daniel J
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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 *
 Luckshire Daniel J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SIGA TECHNOLOGIES INC
 [SIGA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/12/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
 Executive VP & CFO

C/O SIGA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 31 EAST 62ND STREET

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10065

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share | 12/12/2018 | | M | | 58,965 (1) (2) | A | \$ 3.53 234,679 |
| Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share | 12/12/2018 | | F | | 28,614 (1) (2) | D | \$ 6.38 206,065 |

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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 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Stock-Settled Stock Appreciation Rights | \$ 3.53 | 12/12/2018 | | M | 132,000 | ⁽³⁾ 02/02/2019 | Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Luckshire Daniel J C/O SIGA TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 31 EAST 62ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10065 | | | Executive VP & CFO | |

Signatures

/s/ Daniel J.
Luckshire

12/14/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- This Form 4 reports the exercise of 132,000 stock-settled appreciation rights ("SSARs") for shares of common stock of SIGA Technologies, Inc. (the "Issuer") granted on February 2, 2012 and the related surrender to the Issuer of 28,614 shares of common stock of the Issuer by the Reporting Person in order to satisfy certain tax withholding obligations of the Issuer associated with the exercise of SSARs and the consequent issuance of common stock of the Issuer. No shares of common stock of the Issuer were sold by the Reporting Person in a market transaction.
- (1) the Issuer by the Reporting Person in order to satisfy certain tax withholding obligations of the Issuer associated with the exercise of SSARs and the consequent issuance of common stock of the Issuer. No shares of common stock of the Issuer were sold by the Reporting Person in a market transaction.
 - (2) Each SSAR consists of the right to receive an amount, in common stock, equal to the excess of the fair market value of a share of common stock of the Issuer (subject to a cap on the fair market value at \$11.00 per share) on the date of exercise over the exercise price

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of such SSAR. The number of shares of common stock issued was determined by dividing the total of all exercised SSARs by the fair market value of a share of common stock of the Issuer on the date of exercise.

- (3) The SSARs vested in equal yearly installments over a period of three (3) years, with the first 1/3 of such SSARs vesting on February 2, 2013, the second 1/3 of such SSARs vesting on February 2, 2014, and the remaining 1/3 of such SSARs vesting on February 2, 2015.

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