FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Yamokoski John | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Nauticus Robotics, Inc. [KITT] | S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner |
|---|---------|-------|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 17146 FEATHERCRAFT LANE SUITE 450 | | ` , | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2023 | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Technology Officer |
| (Street) WEBSTER TX 77598 | | 77598 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. | |

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 | Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---|---|---|---|------------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------|
| | | | Code | v | Amount (A) or (D) Price | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 05/03/2023 | | M | | 9,706 | A | (1) | 720,051 | 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) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transac Code (In 8) | | Derivative Exp | | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | Reported | | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|---------------------------------|---|----------------|-------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | |
| RSU | (1) | 05/03/2023 | | M | | | 9,706 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 9,706 | \$0.00 | 0 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") is issued pursuant to the Company's 2022 Omnibus Incentive Plan and represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- 2. On April 3, the reporting person was granted 9,706 RSUs, all of which vested on May 3, 2023.

/s/ John Yamokoski, by M.

Dilshad Kasmani as Attorney-in-

Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

05/05/2023

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

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