Gevo, Inc. Form 4 January 13, 2017

FORM 4

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

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obligations

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Gruber Patrick R.

(Zip)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GEVO, INC., 345 INVERNESS DRIVE SOUTH, BUILDING C, **SUITE 310**

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Symbol

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Gevo, Inc. [GEVO]

(Month/Day/Year)

01/12/2017

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(City)

Stock

| 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|-----------|---|--|--|------------|
| | | (Month Day/ Tear) | Code V | Amount | (A) or | Price | Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| Common | 01/12/2017 | | S(1) | 6 | D | \$ | 2,394 (2) | D | |

3.85

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. Titl Deriv Secur (Instr. | ative ity | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. tiorNumber of) Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | s I | ate | Amou Under Secur | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Code \ | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Gruber Patrick R. GEVO, INC., 345 INVERNESS DRIVE SOUTH BUILDING C, SUITE 310 ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 | X | | Chief Executive Officer | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Geoff Williams, as Attorney in Fact 01/12/2017

**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) Shares were sold to satisfy certain tax obligations of the reporting person triggered by the vesting of shares of restricted common stock. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted June 12, 2015.
- Amount of securities beneficially owned following reported transaction reflects the 1-for-20 reverse stock split that occurred on January 5. 2017.

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