

Buffamante Thomas E  
Form 4  
April 26, 2018

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Buffamante Thomas E

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
ARTS WAY MANUFACTURING  
CO INC [ARTW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
130 SOUTH UNION  
STREET, SUITE 200  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/25/2018

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

OLEAN, NY 14760

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

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

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (1)	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	04/25/2018		A		1,000	A	\$ 0
					19,000		D

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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr.	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.66							04/28/2011	04/28/2021	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.75							04/26/2012	04/26/2022	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.4							04/25/2013	04/25/2023	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.15							04/29/2014	04/29/2024	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.7							04/22/2015	04/22/2025	Common Stock	2,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Buffamante Thomas E 130 SOUTH UNION STREET SUITE 200 OLEAN, NY 14760	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Amanda Lorentz as attorney-in-fact for Thomas E. Buffamante pursuant to power of attorney previously filed.

04/26/2018

\_\_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).

(1) Represents 1,000 shares of fully-vested restricted shares of Company common stock granted pursuant to the director compensation plan.

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