

# Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

▶ See separate instructions.

## Part I Reporting Issuer

<b>1</b> Issuer's name <u>JONES ENERGY, INC.</u>		<b>2</b> Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) <u>80-0907968</u>	
<b>3</b> Name of contact for additional information <u>EVAN HOOD</u>	<b>4</b> Telephone No. of contact <u>512-328-2953</u>	<b>5</b> Email address of contact <u>IR@JONESENERGY.COM</u>	
<b>6</b> Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact <u>807 LAS CIMAS PARKWAY; SUITE 350</u>		<b>7</b> City, town, or post office, state, and Zip code of contact <u>AUSTIN, TX 78746</u>	
<b>8</b> Date of action <u>3/31/2017</u>		<b>9</b> Classification and description <u>STOCK DIVIDEND</u>	
<b>10</b> CUSIP number <u>48019R108</u>	<b>11</b> Serial number(s)	<b>12</b> Ticker symbol <u>JONE</u>	<b>13</b> Account number(s)

## Part II Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional questions.

**14** Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ▶ ON MARCH 31, 2017, JONES ENERGY, INC. ("THE COMPANY"), PAID A STOCK DIVIDEND OF 0.087423 SHARES OF THE COMPANY'S CLASS A COMMON STOCK FOR EACH OUTSTANDING SHARE OF CLASS A COMMON STOCK TO SHAREHOLDERS OF RECORD ON MARCH 15, 2017. CASH WAS PAID IN LIEU OF ISSUING ANY FRACTIONAL SHARES OF CLASS A COMMON STOCK BASED ON A SHARE PRICE OF \$3.50.

**15** Describe the quantitative effect of the organizational action on the basis of the security in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per share or as a percentage of old basis ▶ THE SHAREHOLDER'S BASIS IN ONE (1) SHARE OF CLASS A COMMON STOCK IS 91.9605% OF THE SHAREHOLDER'S BASIS IN ONE (1) SHARE OF CLASS A COMMON STOCK PRIOR TO THE DISTRIBUTION.

**16** Describe the calculation of the change in basis and the data that supports the calculation, such as the market values of securities and the valuation dates ▶ THE SHAREHOLDER HAS 8.7423% MORE CLASS A COMMON STOCK SHARES THAN BEFORE THE DISTRIBUTION. THE BASIS OF THE SHARES SHOULD BE DETERMINED BY DIVIDING THE PRIOR BASIS BY 108.7423%

**Part II Organizational Action** (continued)

17 List the applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which the tax treatment is based ▶  
**IRC SECTIONS 305(a) AND 307(a)**

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18 Can any resulting loss be recognized? ▶ **NO**

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19 Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ▶

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Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

**Sign Here**  
Signature ▶  Date ▶ 6/8/2017

Print your name ▶ **ROBERT J BROOKS** Title ▶ **EVP AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**

<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name ▶				Firm's EIN ▶
	Firm's address ▶				Phone no.