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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Christensen Christopher R.</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 29222 RANCHO VIEJO ROAD SUITE 127 (Street) SAN JUAN CA 92675 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ENSIGN GROUP, INC [ENSG]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <p style="text-align: center;">Executive Chairman</p>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/26/2022	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/26/2022		A		2,800 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$0	63,799	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2022		F		248 ⁽²⁾	D	\$82.41	63,551	D	
Common Stock	05/31/2022		F		199 ⁽³⁾	D	\$81.17	63,352	D	
Common Stock	05/31/2022		F		794 ⁽⁴⁾	D	\$81.17	62,558	D	
Common Stock	05/31/2022		F		3,967 ⁽⁵⁾	D	\$81.17	58,591	D	
Common Stock								980,944	I ⁽⁶⁾	By Hobbles Creek Investments, LLC
Common Stock								168,400	I ⁽⁷⁾	by Trust
Common Stock								122,702	I ⁽⁸⁾	By Christensen, Christopher and Claudia Trust

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$80.6	05/26/2022		A		7,000		05/26/2023 ⁽⁹⁾	05/26/2032	Common Stock	7,000	\$0	7,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- These shares vest in five equal annual installments beginning May 26, 2023.
- These shares relate to taxes withheld on a Restricted Stock Award granted May 27, 2021 that vests in five equal annual installments beginning May 27, 2022.
- These shares relate to taxes withheld on a Restricted Stock Award granted May 28, 2020 that vests in five equal annual installments beginning May 28, 2021.
- These shares relate to taxes withheld on a Restricted Stock Award granted May 30, 2019 that vests in five equal annual installments beginning May 30, 2020.
- These shares relate to taxes withheld on a Restricted Stock Award granted May 31, 2018 that vests in five equal annual installments beginning May 31, 2019.
- Christopher R. Christensen is the sole member of this entity.
- These shares are directly owned by the The Christopher R. Christensen 2020 Irrevocable Trust and indirectly by Claudia Christensen, spouse of Christopher R. Christensen, as trustee of the trust. Christopher R. Christensen is a director and officer of the issuer.
- These shares are held by the Christensen, Christopher & Claudia Trust for which Christopher R. Christensen is trustee.
- This option vests in five equal annual installments beginning on May 26, 2023.

Remarks:

/s/ Chad A. Keetch, as power 05/31/2022

[of attorney](#)

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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