#### PUSTULKA JOHN R

Form 4

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1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

PUSTULKA JOHN R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NATIONAL FUEL GAS CO [NFG]						Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6363 MAIN STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2018						Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) COO				
WILLIAMS	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. 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)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deen Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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)		
Common Stock	12/19/2018			A		13,846	A	\$0	85,894	D			
Common Stock	12/19/2018			F		6,781 (1)	D	\$ 54.53	79,113	D			
Common Stock									20,994 (2)	I	401K Trust		

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

**ESOP** 

Trust

 $3,780 \frac{(3)}{}$ 

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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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PUSTULKA JOHN R 6363 MAIN STREET COO WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221

## **Signatures**

J. P. Baetzhold, Attorney

in Fact 12/21/2018 \*\*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).
- On December 19, 2018, the reporting person had 6,781 shares withheld and cancelled to cover minimum required tax withholdings due to (1) the vesting of performance shares. These share cancellations are shown on Table I as dispositions (Transaction Code "D" in Column 4), although none of these cancelled shares were sold into the market, as indicated by Transaction Code "F" in Column 3.
- The NFG stock fund under the NFG 401(k) plan is denominated in units, representing ownership interests in a fund that includes both NFG common stock and a reserve of cash. The information reported represents the dollar value of the reporting person's balance in the NFG stock fund as of December 19, 2018, as reported by the plan administrator, divided by the closing price of NFG common stock on that date.
- The NFG employee stock ownership plan is denominated in units, representing ownership interests in a fund that includes both NFG (3) common stock and a reserve of cash. The information reported represents the dollar value of the reporting person's balance in the ESOP as of December 19, 2018, as reported by the plan administrator, divided by the closing price of NFG common stock on that date.

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