

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Brand Michael</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>4196 MAJESTIC CIRCLE</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>MEDINA OH 44256</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AIR INDUSTRIES GROUP [AIRI]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/12/2026</u>	
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								5,651	D	
Common Stock								600	I	by Roth 401k

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
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/12/2026		A		12,159		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	12,159	\$0	12,159	D	
Stock Option	\$3							(2)	11/30/2030	Common Stock	10,000		10,000	D	
Stock Option	\$3.75							(3)	08/31/2029	Common Stock	10,000		10,000	D	
Stock Option	\$3.5							(3)	05/31/2028	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Stock Option	\$3.43							(3)	06/30/2028	Common Stock	4,160		4,160	D	
Stock Option	\$8.4							(3)	04/30/2027	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Stock Option	\$12.5							(3)	08/31/2026	Common Stock	100		100	D	
Stock Option	\$13.2							(3)	12/31/2027	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Stock Option	\$23.8							(3)	12/31/2026	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Each RSU represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of common stock. The RSUs vested upon grant and shall be settled on the later of: (A) the first anniversary of the Award Date and (B) the occurrence of a Change in Control, which for purposes of the Award Agreement, must constitute an event described in Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-3(a)(5); provided, however, that if the event in (B) has not occurred by the eighteen (18) month anniversary of the Award Date, the vested RSUs shall be settled on the eighteen (18) month anniversary of the Award Date.
- Vests as to 5,000 shares on December 31, 2025, 2,500 shares on February 28, 2026 and 2,500 shares on May 31, 2026.
- Exercisable in full.

/s/ Michael Brand

02/16/2026

** 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

