

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>TAGLICH ROBERT</b>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>AIR INDUSTRIES GROUP [ AIRI ]</b>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>02/12/2026</b>					
C/O TAGLICH BROTHERS, INC. 37 MAIN STREET			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street)								
COLD SPRING HARBOR	NY	11724						
(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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								287,737	D	

**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					
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/12/2026		A		12,159		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	\$0	12,159	D	
Stock Options	\$3							(2)	11/30/2030	Common Stock		10,000	D	
Stock Options	\$3.75							(3)	08/31/2029	Common Stock		10,000	D	
Stock Options	\$3.5							(3)	05/31/2028	Common Stock		1,000	D	
Stock Options	\$3.43							(3)	06/30/2028	Common Stock		2,120	D	
Stock Option	\$8.4							(3)	04/30/2027	Common Stock		1,000	D	
Stock Option	\$13.2							(3)	12/31/2027	Common Stock		1,000	D	
Stock Option	\$23.8							(3)	12/31/2026	Common Stock		1,000	D	
Convertible Notes <sup>(4)</sup>	\$15								09/30/2018 07/01/2026	Common Stock		50,772 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$761,579 <sup>(5)</sup>
Convertible Notes	\$9.3								01/15/2019 07/01/2026	Common Stock		110,323 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$1,026,000 <sup>(5)</sup>
Convertible Notes	\$15								09/30/2018 07/01/2026	Common Stock		7,812 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$117,166 <sup>(5)</sup>

**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.
- Represents Issuer's 6% convertible notes received pursuant to amendment to Issuer's 8% convertible notes and includes accrued interest through December 31, 2020.
- Includes accrued interest on the Notes through December 31, 2020 and the shares that would be issued upon conversion for the interest accrued through December 31, 2020. Does not include shares to be issued upon conversion for interest accrued after December 31, 2020.

/s/ Robert F. Taglich

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).

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