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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name ar	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HYDROFARM HOLDINGS GROUP, INC. [HYFM]									(Chec	k all app Direc	ship of Reporting F applicable) rector fficer (give title		s) to Is 0% Ov other (s	vner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1510 MAIN STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/17/2023								X	below		b	elow)	·	
(Street) SHOEMAKERSVILLE PA 19555					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Sta	ate) (2	Zip)		Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See In							a contr	ı contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to rruction 10.						
		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	Benefi	cially	Own	ed			
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 Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Securities Beneficially Owned Following			Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
										v	Amount	Amount (A) or		ce		ed ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share		01/17/2	/2023				A		5,480(1)	A		\$0	1,586,612		D				
Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share			03/27/2	/2023				F		1,335 ⁽²⁾ D		\$	1.69	1,5	85,277	D			
Common share	Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share		03/27/2023					F		1,624 ⁽³⁾	4 ⁽³⁾ D		1.69	1,583,653		D			
Common share	Stock, \$0.0	001 par value p	er	03/27/2	03/27/2023				F		7,736(4)		\$	1.69	1,575,917		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)	if any	emed on Date, /Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)				6. Date Expirati (Month/	ion Da		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		De See (In:	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	: t (D) direct	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On March 23, 2022, Mr. Toler was granted a target of 21,919 performance stock units ("PSUs") under the Issuer's 2020 Equity Incentive Plan. Each PSU represents the right, upon achievement of certain specified performance-based vesting criteria, to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock. On January 17, 2023, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors determined that 25% of the performance-based conditions were met resulting in 5,480 PSUs earned by Mr. Toler. This transaction is late due to an inadvertent administrative error and not any error of Mr. Toler.
- 2. Shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligation applicable to the vesting of 5,480 stock-settled PSUs, which may be settled, on a 1-for-1 basis, only in shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole number.
- 3. Shares withheld to satisfy tax withhelding obligation applicable to the vesting of 6,666 stock-settled restricted stock units ("RSUs"), which may be settled, on a 1-for-1 basis, only in shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole number.
- 4. Shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligation applicable to the vesting of 31,766 stock-settled RSUs, which may be settled, on a 1-for-1 basis, only in shares of common stock. Fractional amounts have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

/s/ Jeffrey Cohan, Power of Attorney For: William 03/28/2023 **Douglas Toler**

** 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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