Instruction 1(b).

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 ]									5. Relations (Check all a X Dire		licable)	ng Per	son(s) to Is 10% O Other (s	wner				
(Last) 202 SAN	(Fir N MATEO D	,	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2022									X	belov		man o	below)	`
(Street) BONITA SPRING	S FL		4134		4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi Line) X	Form Form	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person			
(City)	(Sta		Zip)																
		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	Benef	icially	/ Own	ed			
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Executions/Year) if any		Deemed cution Date, y nth/Day/Year)				4. Securitie Disposed C 5)			4 and Secur Benef		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice	Transa	saction(s) tr. 3 and 4)			(3 4)
Common share	Stock, \$0.0	001 par value per 03/23/2022 A 20,000 <sup>(1)</sup> A \$0.00 1,560,654					60,654		D										
Common share	nmon Stock, \$0.0001 par value per re 03/23			03/23/2	2022				A		95,299(2)		A   5	80.00	1,655,953			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 ion Date, /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 Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		ite	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		De Sei (In:	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Title Share								

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. On March 23, 2022 (the "Grant Date"), Mr. Toler was granted 20,000 restricted stock units ("RSUs") under the Issuer's 2020 Employee, Director and Consultant Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). The RSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on first anniversary of the Grant Date.
- 2. On the Grant Date, Mr. Toler was also granted 95,299 RSUs under the Plan. The RSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the Grant Date.

/s/ Jeffrey Cohan, Power of

Attorney For: William

03/24/2022

**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).
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