## FORM 4

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Resp	onses)													
Name and Addre Layne Larry D	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Pacific Ethanol, Inc. [PEIX]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)XDirector10% OwnerOfficer (give titleOther (specify below) below)							
400 CAPITOL N	(Month/Day	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2014									pelow)			
			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)	Table I	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					i						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year	Code	3)	4. Secur Acquired Dispose (Instr. 3)	d (A) d of ( , 4 and (A) or	D) d 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Ov Following Rep Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	wned			lirect icial ership		
Common Stock	08/05/2014		S	V	100	D	\$ 19.08	86		I	By Layn Fami Trust	ly		
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Reminder: Report of directly or indirectly	n a separate line for e	ach class of securit	ies benefi	cially	owned									
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		Derivative Securit	_		_			-						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price of Derivati Security	ve (Month/Day/Ye	3A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Yo	Code	,	5. Numb of Deriva Securi Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr.	ative ities red	and Exp	piration Date /Day/Year)	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr. 4)	nt of ll lying ties		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownershi (Instr. 4)

### **Reporting Owners**

Donoutino Orano None / Adduses	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Layne Larry D							
400 CAPITOL MALL #2060	X						
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814							

#### **Signatures**

Date

Code

Exercisable Date

Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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#### Remarks

This report is 5 of 5.

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