## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)													
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BROOKS MIKE				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROCKY BRANDS, INC. [RCKY]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 39 EAST CANAL STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/13/2015						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chairman of the Board					
(Street)				4. If Amendmen	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				
NELSON (City	VILLE, C	OH 45 / 64 (State)	(Zip)												
(City	,	(State)	(Zip)		Γable I	- Non	ı-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	1
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, it any (Month/Day/Year	Code (Instr. 8)		tion 4. Securities Acquir (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of (D)	Benefici Reported	ant of Securities ially Owned Following d Transaction(s)		Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				(Month/Day/Tear	Coo	de	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	*	
Common value	Stock, wi	thout par	04/13/2015		G	ſ		14,883	D	\$ 0	316,47	2		D	
Common Stock, without par value		08/13/2018		S			2,500	D	\$ 30.806 (1)	313,972		D			
Common Stock, without par value		08/14/2018		S			300	D	\$ 31.466 (2)	7 313,672		D			
Common Stock, without par value		08/14/2018		S			2,200	D	\$ 31.109 (3)	1 311,47	311,472		D		
Reminder:	Renort on a s	enarate line	for each class of secu	rities beneficially	owned a	direct	lv o	r indirectl	v					•	
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			Table II -	Derivative Secur (e.g., puts, calls,							lly Owned				
Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Execution D any	4.	5. Number		6. l	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. T e Am Und Sec	ritle and ount of derlying urities tr. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owner Form of Deriva Securit Direct or Indi	Beneficia Ownersh y: (Instr. 4)
				Code V	(A)		Da Ex	te ercisable	Expira Date	Titl	Amount or Number of Shares				

## **Reporting Owners**

1	P (1 0 N /	Relationships							
	Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
	BROOKS MIKE 39 EAST CANAL STREET NELSONVILLE, OH 45764	X		Chairman of the Board					

### **Signatures**

Jeremy D. Siegfried, Attorney-in-Fact	08/15/2018		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- Price represents a weighted average of the sale price. Shares were sold at prices ranging from \$30.65 to \$30.90. Upon the request by the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the reporting person will provide the full information about the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) Price represents a weighted average of the sale price. Shares were sold at prices ranging from \$31.40 to \$31.55. Upon the request by the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the reporting person will provide the full information about the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Price represents a weighted average of the sale price. Shares were sold at prices ranging from \$30.40 to \$31.30. Upon the request by the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the reporting person will provide the full information about the number of shares sold at each separate price.

#### Remarks:

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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

Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Curtis A. Loveland, Jeremy D. Siegfried and Christina O. McIntyre, signing singly, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and director of Rocky Brands, Inc. (the "Company"), a Form ID, Forms 3, 4, and 5 and any other documents necessary to facilitate the filing of reports in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form ID, 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this  $17 \, \text{th}$  day of May, 2018.

/s/ Mike Brooks

Signature

Printed Name: Mike Brooks