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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LOVELAND CURTIS A					RO	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROCKY BRANDS, INC. [RCKY] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Ow					
(Last)	(First)	(N	liddle)			12/29/2022								X	Officer (g below)	ve title Other (below)		specify		
PORTER, WRIGHT, MORRIS & ARTHUR LLP															Assistant Secretary					
41 SOUTH HIGH STREET					4. If a	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) COLUMBUS	ОН	43	3215												X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Z	ip)																	
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Date					nsaction	ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount (A)		(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	k, without p	ar value		12/2	29/202	22			M		4,000		A	\$18.9	94,416		D			
Common Stock, without par value															11,000		I		Held in Keogh account.	
	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		3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	te, T	4. Transaction Code (Instr. r) 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 (Inst 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	e s ally	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisat		Expiration Date			Amount or Number of Shares		Transacti (Instr. 4)	ion(s)			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.9	12/29/2022		М			4,000	01/02/2018 0		1/02/2023	St with	mmon tock, out par alue	4,000	\$0.0000	0.0000		D			

Explanation of Responses:

Jeremy D. Siegfried, Attorney-in-12/30/2022

Fact ** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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