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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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issuer that is inter	of equity securities of nded to satisfy the se conditions of Rule struction 10.	the		
1. Name and Addre	ss of Reporting Pers	son <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROCKY BRANDS, INC. [ RCKY ]	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) PORTER, WRIGHT, MORRIS & ARTHUR LLP		, ,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2025	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Assistant Secretary
41 SOUTH HIG (Street) COLUMBUS	OH	43215	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
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### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5			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) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, without par value	01/01/2025		A		822	A	\$0.0000	97,677	D	
Common Stock, without par value								4,781	I	Held in Keogh account.

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

D	1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

Jeremy D. Siegfried, Attorney-in-

Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

01/02/2025

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

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