Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HOWARD JACK L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Steel Connect, Inc. [STCN]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last) (First) (Middle)						Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									Office belov	er (give title v)	X	Other below)	(specify
C/O STEEL PARTNERS						01/01/2023									See	Explanatio	on of	Respons	es
590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR																			
(0)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NEW YO	NEW YORK NY 10022													X					
														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate) (2	Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)					ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or	Price		ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾ 01/01/2					2023	023			A		18,150(2)	A	\$0.00	90	8,961		D ⁽¹⁾	
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)		Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		e Exerc tion Da h/Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		Se (In	Price of Privative ecurity (str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The reporting person is a member of a Section 13(d) group that owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding Common Stock. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by the other members of the Section 13(d) group except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- 2. Shares acquired are shares of restricted stock awarded pursuant to the Issuer's 2020 Stock Incentive Compensation Plan (the "Incentive Compensation Plan"). Except as otherwise provided in the Incentive Compensation Plan, the shares of restricted stock vest on January 1, 2024, provided that the reporting person remains a director of the Issuer on such vesting date.

By: /s/ Maria Reda, as

Attorney-in-Fact for Jack L. 01/04/2023

Howard

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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