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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
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Song Haiyan				F5	, IN	IC. [ I	FFIV ]										
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. 1	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)								Director10% Owner				
,	,	,	,										X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
C/O F5, INC., 801 5TH AVENUE					2/1/2023								EVP of Security				
	(Stree	et)		4. ]	f An	nendme	nt, Date O	rigin	al File	ed (MM/E	D/YYYY	6. Individual	or Joint/G	roup Filing	(Check Appl	licable Line)	
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1.Title of Security				ans. Date			3. Trans. Co	•	<del></del>					-11 () 1	6.	7. Nature	
(Instr. 3)				ans. Date	Execution		(Instr. 8)	oue	or Dis	or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)			Ownership	of Indirect	
					Date	if any	any		(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			(Instr. 3 and 4)				Beneficial Ownership	
										(1)		†			or Indirect		
							Code	V	Amou	nt (A) o	r Price				(I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 2/1/202				1/2023			M		1559	<u>1)</u> <b>A</b>	\$0.00		7279		D		
Common Stock 2/1/202				1/2023	F F		F		819	D	\$0.00	6460		D			
	Tabl	le II - Deri	vative Sec	curities	Bene	eficially	Owned (	e.g.,	puts,	calls, wa	arrants	, options, conve	ertible secu	ırities)			
1. Title of Derivate	1 '	3. Trans.	3A. Deemed		Derivativ					e Exercisable expiration Date		nd Amount of		9. Number of derivative Securities	Ownership Form of	Beneficial	
Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise	Date	Execution Date, if any	Code (Instr. 8)				and E	expiration			s Underlying e Security	Security				
	Price of Derivative										(Instr. 3	and 4)	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially Owned Following	Security: Direct (D)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Security						4 and 3)					1.					
								Date		Expiration	Title	Amount or Number of		Reported Transaction(s)	or Indirect		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Exerc	cisable	Date		Shares		(Instr. 4)	4)		
Restricted Stock Unit (2)	\$0.00	2/1/2023		M			1114	!	<u>(3)</u>	(4)	Commo Stock		\$0.00	8914	D		
Restricted Stock	\$0.00	2/1/2023		М			445		<u>(5)</u>	(4)	Commo Stock	on 445	\$0.00	3119	D		

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Shares acquired upon vesting of the February 1, 2021 and November 1, 2021 awards of service-based Restricted Stock Units.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of F5, Inc. Common Stock on the vest date.
- (3) Twenty five percent (25%) of this February 1, 2021 award of service-based Restricted Stock Units vests on February 1, 2022, and the remaining seventy five percent (75%) vests in twelve equal quarterly increments beginning May 1, 2022.
- (4) If the reporting person continues to provide services to the Company through the vest date, the corresponding number of shares of Common Stock of F5, Inc. will be issued to the reporting person on the vest date.
- (5) This November 1, 2021 award of service-based Restricted Stock Units vests in twelve equal quarterly increments beginning February 1, 2022.

#### Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Addre	200	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Addre	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
Song Haiyan									
C/O F5, INC.			EVP of Security						
801 5TH AVENUE			EVP of Security						
SEATTLE, WA 98104									

#### Signatures

/s/ Scot F. Rogers by Power of Attorney

2/3/2023

\*\*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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