

PTGi HOLDING, INC.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**SCHEIWE STEVEN D**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PTGI HOLDING INC., 460  
HERNDON PARKWAY, SUITE  
150

(Street)

HERNDON, VA 20170

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**PTGi HOLDING, INC. [PTGI]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/15/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by 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) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount or Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 01/15/2014                           |  | D                              |   | 2,500<br>(1)  | D  | \$ 0 17,500                       |
| Common Stock                    | 01/15/2014                           |  | A                              |   | 2,500<br>(1)  | A  | \$ 0 20,000                       |
| Common Stock                    | 01/15/2014                           |  | D                              |   | 5,000<br>(2)  | D  | \$ 0 15,000                       |
| Common Stock                    | 01/15/2014                           |  | A                              |   | 5,000<br>(2)  | A  | \$ 0 20,000                       |

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

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**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) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---------------|-----|--|-----------------|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  |                                | V   | (A)           | (D) | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date |   |                            |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 3.88  | 01/15/2014                           |  | D                              |   | 14,622<br>(3) |     | 01/15/2014   | 06/12/2022      | Common Stock  | 14,622                     |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 3.88  | 01/15/2014                           |  | A                              |   | 14,622<br>(3) |     | 01/15/2014   | 06/12/2022      | Common Stock  | 14,622                     |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 3.72  | 01/15/2014                           |  | D                              |   | 21,309<br>(4) |     | 01/15/2014   | 06/12/2023      | Common Stock  | 21,309                     |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 3.72  | 01/15/2014                           |  | A                              |   | 21,309<br>(4) |     | 01/15/2014   | 06/12/2023      | Common Stock  | 21,309                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SCHEIWE STEVEN D<br>C/O PTGI HOLDING INC.<br>460 HERNDON PARKWAY, SUITE 150<br>HERNDON, VA 20170 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

Andrea L. Mancuso,  
Attorney-in-Fact

01/16/2014

\_\_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).

Amendment of outstanding RSU resulting in deemed cancellation of RSU and grant of replacement RSU. On June 12, 2012, the  
(1) Compensation Committee granted a time-based award of which one-half, or 2,500 shares, vested on June 12, 2013. The Compensation Committee accelerated the vesting of the final one-half, or 2,500 shares, from June 12, 2014 to January 15, 2014.

Amendment of outstanding RSU resulting in deemed cancellation of RSU and grant of replacement RSU. On June 12, 2013, the  
(2) Compensation Committee granted a time-based award of which no shares have vested. The Compensation Committee accelerated the vesting of one-half, or 2,500 shares, from June 12, 2014 to January 15, 2014 and one-half, or 2,500 shares, from June 12, 2015 to January 15, 2014.

Amendment of outstanding option resulting in deemed cancellation of option and grant of replacement option. On June 12, 2012, Mr. Scheiwe received an Annual Grant of Director Stock Options that provided for vesting in three equal installments beginning on June 12, 2012. As a result of cash dividends declared since the original issuance, Mr. Scheiwe is now entitled to exercise 43,866 options at an exercise price of \$3.88. The Compensation Committee accelerated the vesting of the final one-third, or 14,622 options, from June 12, 2014 to January 15, 2014.

Amendment of outstanding option resulting in deemed cancellation of option and grant of replacement option. On June 12, 2013, Mr. Scheiwe received an Annual Grant of Director Stock Options that provided for vesting in three equal installments beginning on June 12, 2013. As a result of cash dividends declared since the original issuance, Mr. Scheiwe is now entitled to exercise 31,963 options at an exercise price of \$3.72. The Compensation Committee accelerated the vesting of the second-third, or 10,654 options, from June 12, 2014 to January 15, 2014 and the final one-third, or 10,655 options, from June 12, 2015 to January 15, 2014.

(5) Director stock option grant.

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