FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Pfannenstiel Jackalyne		Sta	Date of Event Resternment (Month/I	_' ~." 、	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Energy Recovery, Inc. [ ERII ]						
(Last) 2 HIGHLAND (Street) PIEDMONT	(First) AVENUE	(Middle)				ionship of Reporting Person(s all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (spec below)	. (N	oplicable Line)  X Form filed by	te of Original Filed  Group Filing (Check  y One Reporting Person y More than One Reporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - No	n-Deriva	tive Se	ecurities Beneficially	Owned		1 613011		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				2	. Amoun	nt of Securities Illy Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exerc Expiration Do (Month/Day/N					d 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion	(D) or	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Exhibit List Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

No securities are beneficially owned.

/s/ Carolyn Bostick, attorney-infact for Jacklyne Pfannenstiel 02/27/2009

\*\* 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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## POWER OF ATTORNEY

As an officer and/or director of Energy Recovery, Inc. (the "Company"), the undersigned is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

By signing this document, the undersigned designates and appoints each of Deno Bokas, Carolyn F. Bostick, G.G. Pique and Thomas D. Willardson as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) prepare and execute Forms ID, 3, 4 and 5 including amendments to these Forms, for and on behalf the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of the Company;
- (2) prepare and execute any other forms or amendments to such forms as she or he determines, in his or her discretion, that are required or advisable to be filed under Section 16, as amended, and related rules and regulations, including any successor laws and regulations, as a consequence of the undersigned's status as a director or as a result of the undersigned's ownership, acquisition or disposition of securities of the Company; and
- (3) undertake all acts necessary in order to file and submit such forms to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, any securities exchange or national association, the Company and such other person or agency as the attorney-in-fact deems appropriate.

The undersigned hereby ratifies and confirms all acts that each of the attorneys-in-fact and agents do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney. The undersigned acknowledges that the each of the attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the undersigned's request, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16, as amended.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned si no longer required to file Forms ID, 3, 4 and 5 or to report holdings of, and transactions in, securities issued by the Company, or until the undersigned revokes this Power of Attorney by delivering to the Company a signed revocation in writing to the Company and to each of the attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 23rd day of February, 2009.

/s/ Jacklyne Pfannenstiel Jackalyne Pfannenstiel