FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>GWG Wind Down Trust</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Beneficient [BENF]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last) PO BOX 6120		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2024	Officer (give title Other (specify below)
700 SMITH ST.			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable
(Street) HOUSTON	TX	77208-1209		Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 7. Nature 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership Form: Direct of Indirect Beneficial Transaction Securities Beneficially Owned Following (Month/Day/Year) (D) or Indirect if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 5) 8) (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) ν Price Code Amount (Instr. 3 and 4) Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par 08/21/2024 685 D \$2.35 1,678,852 D Class A Common Stock, \$0.001 par 08/22/2024 545,323 D \$2.81 1,133,529 D value(2)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 5. Number 7. Title and 11. Nature 1. Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 6. Date Exercisable and 8. Price of 9. Number of 10. Derivative Conversion **Execution Date** Transaction Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Amount of Derivative derivative Ownership of Indirect or Exercise Price of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Beneficial Security if any Code (Instr. Security Securities Form: Direct (D) (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) 8) Securities Underlying (Instr. 5) Beneficially Ownership Owned Following or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Security (A) or Security (Instr. Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) 3 and 4) and 5) Amount Number

Date

Explanation of Responses:

1. 1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.35 to \$2.35 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to Beneficient, any security holder of Beneficient, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1) and (2) to this Form 4.

(A) (D)

2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.53 to \$3.41, inclusive

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Remarks:

/s/ Elizabeth C. Freeman, solely in her capacity as Trustee of GWG Wind Down

08/23/2024

Trust

Expiration

** 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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