FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ENSIGN GROUP, INC						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Pennant Group, Inc. [PNTG]										all app Direc		g Per	₹ 10% C	owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 29222 RANCHO VIEJO ROAD, SUITE 127						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2019										Office	er (give title v)		Other below)	(specify
(Street) SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO CA 92675				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing Line) X Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than Person										orting Pers	on				
(City)	(St	ate) (.	Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactio Date (Month/Day/Y						Execution Date,		·	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)					nd 5) Se Be Ov		curities neficially		wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111341. 4)
Common Stock 10/01/20:					019	19			D		27,020,89	7(1)	D	\$0.00		0			D	
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. Oversic or Exercis Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	tion Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Number of Title Shares		ount nber	•		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		LO. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares of common stock distributed in the October 1, 2019 pro rata distribution of shares of The Pennant Group, Inc. by The Ensign Group, Inc. to its stockholders.

Remarks:

/s/ Chad Keetch, authorized

10/03/2019

<u>signatory</u>

** 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).
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