FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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| 1. Name and Ad Knapp Tir | Idress of Report nothy J. | . Date of Event Requiring Stater Month/Day/Yea | ment | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bristow Group Inc [BRS] | | | | | | | |
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| (Last) 2103 CITY V (Street) HOUSTON (City) | (First) WEST BLVD., TX (State) | (Middle) | 09/26/2017 | | | tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) SVP and General C | 10% Own Other (spe below) | er ., | (Mont | th/Day/Year) dividual or Join cable Line) Form filed b Person | ate of Original Filed ot/Group Filing (Check y One Reporting y More than One lerson |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | | | | 1- | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 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 Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | d 3. Title and Amount of Secu Underlying Derivative Secu 4) | | | or | Conversion or | 5. Ownership Form: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
| | | | Date Expiration Exercisable Date | n Title | | Amount or Number of Shares | Exercise Price of Derivative Security | ve | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

/s/ Justin D. Mogford, Attorney-in-Fact

10/04/2017

** 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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^{**} Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of David C. Searle and Justin D. Mogford the undersigned?s true and lawful attorneys-in-fact to:

1. execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned?s capacity as an officer and/or director of Bristow Group Inc. (the ?Company?), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;

- 2. do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5 and file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- 3. take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of any of such attorneysin-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by any of such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in fact may approve in such attorney-in fact?s discretion. The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to the done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in fact?s substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and power herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that none of the foregoing attorneys-

The undersigned acknowledges that none of the foregoing attorneys in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned?s responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the ?Act?). This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned?s holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to any of the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 4th day of October, 2017

/s/ Timothy J. Knapp
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