

Earnest Frederick Hume  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Earnest Frederick Hume

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 VISTA GOLD CORP [VGZ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O VISTA GOLD CORP., 7961  
 SHAFFER PARKWAY, SUITE 5

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/18/2017

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

(Street)  
 LITTLETON, CO 80127

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable 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**

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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Shares	08/18/2017		M		18,934	A	\$ 981,314
Common Shares	08/18/2017		F		7,460	D	\$ 0.77 973,854
Common Shares	08/18/2017		M		29,279	A	\$ 1,003,133
Common Shares	08/18/2017		F		11,536	D	\$ 0.77 991,597

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/18/2017		M	18,934	<sup>(1)</sup> 08/18/2019	Common Shares	18,934	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/18/2017		M	29,279	<sup>(2)</sup> 08/18/2017	Common Shares	29,279	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Earnest Frederick Hume C/O VISTA GOLD CORP. 7961 SHAFFER PARKWAY, SUITE 5 LITTLETON, CO 80127	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Connie Martinez as attorney-in-fact for Frederick Hume  
Earnest

08/22/2017

\_\_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).

(1) Partial vesting of grant of 142,000 RSUs on 8/18/2016 previously reported on Form 4 filed with the SEC on 8/22/2016. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of VGZ common stock.

(2) Vesting of grant of 29,279 RSUs on 8/18/2016 previously reported on Form 4 filed with the SEC on 8/22/2016. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of VGZ common stock.

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