SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES FUND, INC.

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HELLERMAN GERALD**

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Issuer

FUND, INC. [SPE]

10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

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

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

08/26/2016

below) below) CCO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) 08/30/2016

(Instr. 8)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

BOCA RATON, FL 33496

5431 NW 21ST AVENUE

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

Following

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

5. Number Transactionof Code Derivative 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amc or Num of Shar
Subscription Rights (right to buy) (1)	\$ 25	08/26/2016 <u>(2)</u>		X			750	07/21/2016	08/26/2016	3.50% Convertible Preferred Stock, Series B	75
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HELLERMAN GERALD 5431 NW 21ST AVENUE BOCA RATON, FL 33496	X		CCO			

Signatures

/s/ Gerald Hellerman	08/31/2016	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

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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).

Transferable subscription rights ("Rights") were issued on a pro rata basis to stockholders of record as of July 21, 2016 in connection with a rights offering by the Issuer at the rate of one Right for each five shares of common stock owned (the "Basic Subscription Right"). Each Right entitled its holder to purchase one share of 3.50% Convertible Preferred Stock, Series B ("Preferred Stock") at a

- (1) subscription price of \$25 per share. Pursuant to the terms of the offering, a stockholder who purchased the maximum amount of Preferred Stock pursuant to its Basic Subscription Right was also entitled to purchase additional shares of Preferred Stock that were not purchased by the other stockholders (the "Over-Subscription Privilege"). Additionally, in order to honor all Over-Subscription Privilege requests, the Issuer issued additional shares up to 15% of the shares available in the offering (the "Over-Allotment Privilege").
- (2) The rights offering expired August 26, 2016 and shares of Preferred Stock are expected to be allocated by the transfer agent to purchasing stockholders on or about September 1, 2016.
- (3) Includes shares of Preferred Stock acquired pursuant to the exercise of the Over-Subscription Privilege and Over-Allotment Privilege.
- The shares of Preferred Stock are convertible into common stock immediately upon issuance at a conversion rate equivalent to a conversion price of \$19.00 per share of common stock (which is a ratio of 1.3158 shares of common stock for each share of Preferred Stock held), subject to adjustment.
- (5) The shares of Preferred Stock will be redeemed by the Issuer if not converted prior to August 26, 2021.
- (6) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities owned by his spouse and this report should not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (7) The Reporting Person is amending the Form 4 for the purposes of including the Rights and shares of Preferred Stock owned by the Reporting Person's spouse.

Remarks:

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