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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person 2. Date of Event Ro Statement (Month/) 01/02/2019		(Month/Day/Y	~	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERU INC. [VERU]					
(Last) (First) (Middle 4400 BISCAYNE BOULEVARD, SUITE 888	01/02/20			Relationship of uer (Check Director	•	rting Person(s plicable) 10% Owner	5. If Amend Filed(Month/I	ment, Date Original Day/Year)	
(Street) MIAMI, FL 33137				X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO of FHC Division			Applicable Line _X_ Form filed	l or Joint/Group Filing(Check e) by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Sec Beneficially Own (Instr. 4)					Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership str. 5)		
Common Stock		83,000	83,000			D			
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number. Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)									
Instr. 4) Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securitie Derivati					4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Sh		Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock Options	03/20/2019(1)	03/20/2028	Common Stock	280,000		\$ 2.17	D		

Reporting Owners

		Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Todd Charles T Jr 4400 BISCAYNE BOULEVARD, SUITE 888 MIAMI, FL 33137			CEO of FHC Division			

Signatures

/s/ Charles T. Todd, Jr.	01/03/2019
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Options for one-third of the shares vest on each of March 20, 2019, March 20, 2020 and March 20, 2021.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Mitchell Steiner, Michele Greco, Kevin Gilbert and Phil Greenberg, or any of them acting singly and with full power of substitution, his 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 Veru Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and the rules and regulations promulgated 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, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely 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 such attorneys-in-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 either 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.

Additionally, the undersigned hereby grants to such attorneys-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be 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 either 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 powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange 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 the form of an executed document delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact. Any prior power of attorney of the undersigned with

respect to the subject matter hereof is hereby revoked. $\ensuremath{\,^{\circ}}$

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 3 day of January, 2019.

Signature,

/s/ Charles T. Todd, Jr.