



Who's Who of Ballooning

By Ecbert Eecks

JONES, Steve USA (1951- (HB)

See APPENDIX-BO (3) Sport balloonist.

b: 1951 Beldon, TX.

e: Univ.of Texas, BS-Chemical Engineering.

p: Fiberglass container mfg. 1976; Owner of Con-Tex Balloons; Owner of Thunder-Colt Balloons-USA, 1992.

f: First B-flight 1976 from Albuquerque, NM; FAA B-License issued 1977; Airplane pilot; More than 600 B-Hours by 1991.

l: Competitor in 10 U.S.National Hot-Air Champion- ships; 1980 & 90, U.S.National Hot-Air B-Champion; 1981,83,91, Member of U.S.World Hot-Air B-Team; Won his first (1981) Championship with less than 20 hours in balloons.

m: BFA-Board of Directors.

r: BFA-file.