ATKINS BETSY S

Form 4

February 11, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ATKINS BETSY S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle) SUNPOWER CORP [SPWRA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/09/2009

_X__ Director

Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

_ Other (specify

C/O SUNPOWER

CORPORATION, 3939 NORTH

(Street)

FIRST STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

Person

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

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

| (City) | (State) (Z | (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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 02/09/2009 | | M | 1,000 | A | \$ 0 | 2,000 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 02/10/2009(1) | | M | 500 | A | \$ 9.5 | 2,500 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 02/10/2009(1) | | M | 100 | A | \$ 10.8 | 2,600 | D | |
| Class A | 02/10/2009(1) | | S | 600 | D | \$ 36 | 2,000 | D | |

Common Stock

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 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number on f 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 (RSUs) (2) | <u>(3)</u> | 02/09/2009 | | M | 1,000 | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Class A Common Stock | 1,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 9.5 | 02/10/2009 | | M | 500 | (1)(5) | 10/07/2015 | Class A Common Stock | 500 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 10.8 | 02/10/2009 | | M | 100 | (1)(6) | 11/10/2015 | Class A Common Stock | 100 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| ATKINS BETSY S C/O SUNPOWER CORPORATION 3939 NORTH FIRST STREET SAN JOSE, CA 95134 | X | | | | | |

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Signatures

Donald T. Rozak, Jr., CP, as attorney-in-fact for Betsy S. Atkins

02/11/2009

**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) The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a previously adopted rule 10b5-1 trading plan by the reporting person.
- (2) The restricted stock units (RSUs) were granted pursuant to the automatic annual granting provisions for independent directors under the Registrant's Second Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (3) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Registrant's Class A Common Stock once vested.
- (4) The RSUs shall vest in equal quarterly installments over a one-year period from the date of grant.
- The option to purchase shares of Issuer's Class A Common Stock, awarded on October 7, 2005, vested and became exercisable as to 20% of the total underlying shares on October 7, 2006, and vests and becomes exercisable as to 1 2/3% of the total underlying shares on the 7th day of each month thereafter.
- The option to purchase shares of Issuer's Class A Common Stock, awarded on November 10, 2005, vested and became exercisable as to 20% of the total underlying shares on November 10, 2006, and vests and becomes exercisable as to 1 2/3% of the total underlying shares on the 10th day of each month thereafter.

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