

TA ADVENT VIII LP  
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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 \*  
TA ASSOCIATES INC

(Last) (First) (Middle)

JOHN HANCOCK TOWER, 200  
CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR

(Street)

BOSTON, MA 02116

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
IPG PHOTONICS CORP [IPGP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/11/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

See General Remarks

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S		18,731 (1)	D	\$ 20.2277	1,162,903	I	See Footnote 6 (6)
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S		8,746 (2)	D	\$ 20.2277	542,991	I	See Footnote 7 (7)
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S		8,097 (3)	D	\$ 20.2277	502,849	I	See Footnote 8 (8)
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S		317 (4)	D	\$ 20.2277	19,622	I	See Footnote

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Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	550 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$ 20.2277	34,104	I	9 <sup>(9)</sup> See Footnote 10 <sup>(10)</sup>
Common Stock	12/12/2007	S	11,086 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 19.9893	1,151,817	I	See Footnote 6 <sup>(6)</sup>
Common Stock	12/12/2007	S	5,177 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$ 19.9893	537,814	I	See Footnote 7 <sup>(7)</sup>
Common Stock	12/12/2007	S	4,804 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	\$ 19.9893	498,045	I	See Footnote 8 <sup>(8)</sup>
Common Stock	12/12/2007	S	183 <sup>(4)</sup>	D	\$ 19.9893	19,439	I	See Footnote 9 <sup>(9)</sup>
Common Stock	12/12/2007	S	321 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$ 19.9893	33,783	I	See Footnote 10 <sup>(10)</sup>

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)



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TA IX L.P., By TA Associates IX LLC, Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

TA/Advent VIII L.P., By TA Associates VIII LLC, Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

12/12/2007

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P., By TA Associates AP IV L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

12/12/2007

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

TA Executives Fund LLC, By TA Associates, Inc., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

12/12/2007

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Date

TA Investors LLC, By TA Associates, Inc., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

12/12/2007

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Date

TA Associates IX LLC, By TA Associates, Inc., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

12/12/2007

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Date

TA Associates VIII LLC, By TA Associates, Inc., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

12/12/2007

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Date

TA Associates AP IV L.P., By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

12/12/2007

\_\_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) These securities were sold solely by TA IX L.P.

(2) These securities were sold solely by TA/Advent VIII L.P.

(3) These securities were sold solely by TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.

(4) These securities were sold solely by TA Executives Fund LLC.

(5) These securities were sold solely by TA Investors LLC.

(6) These securities are owned solely by TA IX L.P. TA Associates, Inc. is the Manager of TA Associates IX LLC, which is the General Partner of TA IX L.P. Each of TA Associates, Inc. and TA Associates IX LLC may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA IX L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.

(7) These securities are owned solely by TA/Advent VIII L.P. TA Associates, Inc. is the Manager of TA Associates VIII LLC, which is the General Partner of TA/Advent VIII L.P. Each of TA Associates, Inc. and TA Associates VIII LLC may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA/Advent VIII L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.

(8) These securities are owned solely by TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P. TA Associates, Inc. is the General Partner of TA Associates AP IV L.P., which is the General Partner of TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P. Each of TA Associates, Inc. and TA Associates AP IV L.P. may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.

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- (10) These securities are owned solely by TA Investors LLC. TA Associates, Inc. is the Manager of TA Investors LLC. TA Associates, Inc. may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA Investors LLC and disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.

### **Remarks:**

The Reporting Persons have a representative on the Issuer's board of Directors. Michael Child currently serves as the Reporting

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