FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Chiocchi Adriana  (Last) (First) (Middle)  6409 GUADALUPE MINES ROAD							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC [MPWR]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2007									cable) or (give title Chief Leg	gal C		wner specify	
(Street) SAN JOS (City)	(Street) SAN JOSE CA 95120						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  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. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution			Code (In:	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)			Securiti Benefic Owned	Securities For Beneficially (D Owned In		n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										v	Amount	t (A) or (D)		rice	Reporte Transac			r. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 08/03/2					2007	.007			A		11,50	00 A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	11	11,500		D		
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. Dee Execution if any (Month/		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		on of		6. Date Exei Expiration I (Month/Day	Date	Amoun Securit Underly Derivat		lerlying ivative urity (Instr. 3 4)		B. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		opiration	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.77	08/03/2007			A		57,000		08/03/2009 <sup>(2</sup>	08	8/03/2014	Common Stock	57,0	000	\$18.77	57,000		D		

## ${\bf Explanation\ of\ Responses:}$

- 1. 50% of the Performance Units are subject to vest on the first anniversary of the Grant Date and 50% of the Performance Units are subject to vest on the second anniversary of the Grant Date, provide that the Grantee continues to be a service provider on such dates.
- 2. Fifty percent (50%) of the Shares subject to the Option shall vest twenty-four (24) months after the Grant Date, and 1/48 of the Shares subject to the Option shall vest monthly thereafter on the same day of the month as the Grant Date, subject to the Optione continuing to be a Service Provider on such dates.

Adriana Chiocchi 08/07/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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