CHANG KUO WEI HERBERT

Form 4

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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 *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

CHANG KUO WEI HERBERT

MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC [MPWR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

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

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title

Other (specify

4040 LAKE WASHINGTON BLVD. NE, SUITE 201

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

02/11/2019

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

below)

KIRKLAND, WA 98033

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 02/11/2019 Stock

Code V Amount Price (D) 1.339 \$0 A

(1)

12,702

Reported

D

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					4, and 5)	Date	Expiration		Amount		
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CHANG KUO WEI HERBERT 4040 LAKE WASHINGTON BLVD. NE, SUITE 201 X KIRKLAND, WA 98033

Signatures

By: Saria Tseng For: Herbert

Chang 02/12/2019

**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).

According to the Company's 2014 Equity Incentive Plan and the Board Compensation Schedule as adopted by the Board on February 11, 2019, each Outside Director will be automatically granted Restricted Stock Units as of such date, if he or she will have served on the

(1) Board for at least the preceding six (6) months, with such grant to be effective as of the date of the meeting of the Board or Compensation Committee, as applicable, subject to the Outside Director's continued service to the Board through such date. 100% of the restricted stock units shall vest on the first anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date.

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