FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Brown Lisa M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTIVE POWER INC [ACPW]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (speci						
(Last)	(Fi	,	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2011								X	below)		ing &	below) Sales Ops	.	
2128 W. BRAKER LANE, BK12				If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable							
(Street)	T	X	78758								Lin						.		
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												FEISUII				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/L			Date	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)				4 and Securitie Beneficia Owned F		s Illy ollowing	Form (D) or	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code V	-	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	1	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ction(s)			Instr. 4)	
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	Date Execution Month/Day/Year) if any	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\)	Co	ansaction ode (Instr.		of I		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Cc	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Exp	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.25	02/28/2011			A		80,000		(1)	02/2	28/2021	Common Stock	80,000		\$0	80,000	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. With continued service, 25% of the option shares shall vest and become exercisable on 2/28/2012, and the balance shall vest and become exercisable in a series of twelve equal quarterly installments upon the completion of each additional quarter of service through 2/28/2015.

Remarks:

/s/ John K. Penver

03/01/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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