FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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 ]						(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ACTIVE POWER INC. 2128 W. BRAKER LN., BK 12					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2010						7	below)		below)  Sales Opn	
(Street) AUSTIN (City)			78758 (Zip)	4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  K 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										7. Nature of					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date		Code (Instr. 8)		str. 3, 4 and 5	Beneficia Owned Fo Reported	Form (D) or (I) (In:	rm: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	ndirect Beneficial Ownership (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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities		Expiration Date of Section (Month/Day/Year) of Section Underlied Underlied Derivation		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$0.79	02/25/2010		A		105,000		(1)	02/25/2020	Common Stock	105,000	\$0	105,000	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. With continued service, 25% of the option shares shall vest and become exercisable on 2/25/2011, 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 2/25/2014.

/s/ John K. Penver (Attorney-in-02/26/2010 Fact)

\*\* 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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