FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>ALMGREN AKE</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTIVE POWER INC [ ACPW ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
														r		10% Ow	ner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2004							Officer below)	Officer (give title Other (sp below) below)			pecify		
2128 W. BRAKER LANE, B12																			
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable								
(Street)												Line	X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City) (State) (Zip)																			
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)				5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
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									uired, Disp s, options,				Owned						
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/\)	Cc	ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	e	of Securities		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owne Form: ly Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	ode \	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Non- Employee Board Member Stock Option (right to buy)	\$3.2	03/09/2004			A		30,000		03/09/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/08/2014	Common Stock	30,000	\$0	30,000	)	D			

## Explanation of Responses:

1. The options are immediately exercisable. The options shall vest in three equal installments annually from the grant date, based on continued service on the Issuer's board of directors.

Michael Chibib (Attorney in Fact) 03/11/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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