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* Penver John K					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTIVE POWER INC [ACPW]						(Che	eck all application	able)	ing Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ACTIVE POWER, INC. 2128 W. BRAKER LANE, BK12				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2011							X Officer (give title below) Other (special below) Chief Financial Officer					
(Street) AUSTIN	T	X	78758	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			.			
(City)	(5)		ble I - Non-D	erivati		curitio	<u>.</u> Δ C	quired D	ieno	sed o	f or Re	neficially	, Owned			
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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. 3. Transaction Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		Execution Date, if any		fansaction ode (Instr.) Securities Acquired or Disposo of (D) (Ins 3, 4 and 5)		re s I (A) sed str.	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e and	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		iration e	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.25	02/28/2011		A		100,000		(1)	02/2	28/2021	Common Stock	100,000	\$0	100,000	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

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