FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Rao Meera						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC</u> [MPWR]									heck all ap Dire	ctor	-	10% C)wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 79 GREAT OAKS BLVD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/19/2014									X Off	'		Other below	(specify
(Street) SAN JOS (City)	SAN JOSE CA 95119			4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lir	ne) X For For	I or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable rm filed by One Reporting Person rm filed by More than One Reporting erson				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instrants) Code (Instr. and 5)				Secu Bene Own	nount of rities ficially ed owing	6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Indirect (Instr. 4)	rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount		A) or))	Price	Repo Repo		(1150.4)		(1150. 4)
Common Stock 08/19/20					2014	014			S ⁽¹⁾		8,648	8	D	\$ <mark>4</mark>	5	31,669	D		
	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)	if any	emed tion Date, n/Day/Year)		ransaction ode (Instr.		mber ative rities ired	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Shares		ount Iber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5) Seurity Benefici Owned Followir Reporte Transac (Instr. 4)		Owne Form Direc or Ind (I) (In 4)	(D) lirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. In accordance with the reporting person's 10b5-1 trading plan.

By: Saria Tseng For: Meera Rao

08/21/2014

** 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).

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