FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BAVP, L.P. | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC [MPWR] | | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--------------|---|-----------------|---|--|-----------|--|---------|--|---------------------------|--|---|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 950 TOWER LANE | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/24/2004 | | | | | | | | | Officer (gi below) | ive title | | Other (below) | specify | |
| SUITE 700 | | | | | 4. | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Indiv Line) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | | |
| (Street) FOSTER CITY CA 94404 | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) |) (Z | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactio Date (Month/Day/Y | | | | | Execution Date, | | | | | | rities Acquired (A) or ad Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amoun | ıt | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 an | | (| | (111341. 4) | | |
| Common Stock 11/24/2 | | | | 2004 | 04 | | С | | 2,798,185 | | A | \$0 ⁽¹⁾ | 2,798,185 | | | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 11/24 | | | | 2004 | 04 | | | S | | 500,000 | | D | \$7.905 | 2,298,185 | | D | | | | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execu any | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | action estr. | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Yo | | e Securities Unde | | ies Under | lying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following | e es ally | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | V (A | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisa | | Expiration Date | Title | | Amount or Number of Shares | | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| Series D Convertible Preferred Stock | \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ | 11/24/2004 | | · | C | | | 2,798,185 | (2) | | (2) | Common Stock 2,7 | | 2,798,185 | \$0 ⁽¹⁾ | | | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each share of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into one share of Common Stock upon the consummation of Monolithic's initial public offering on November 24, 2004.
- 2. The shares of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock are exercisable immediately and do not have an expiration date.

/s/ Kate D. Mitchell, as
Managing Director of BA
Venture Partners VI, LLC, the
general partner of BAVP, LP

** 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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