FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Last)	JOSE CA 95120						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC [MPWR]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2007  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title other (specify below)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(Oity)	(City) (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day			ction	ion 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transact Code (In	ion	4. Secur	ities Acquired (A) o d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect 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. Dee Execution if any (Month/		Code (In	4. 5. Number of Code (Instr. Derivative			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)					8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration late	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.97	05/24/2007 <sup>(1)</sup>			A		15,000		05/24/2008(	2) 0	5/24/2014	Common	15,000	\$0	15,000		D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Per the 2004 Equity Incentive, Non-Employee Directors who have served for at least 6 months receive annual refresh stock option grant of 15,000 shares on the date of the annual shareholder meeting.
- 2. Option is 100% exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of the option grant, provided the non-employee director remains a director on such date.

By: Rick Neely For: Umesh Padval 05/24/2007

\*\* 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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LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS SECTION 16(a) FILINGS

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned, Umesh Padval, hereby constitutes and appoints each of Michael Hsing, Rick Neely, and Saria Tseng, signing singly, the undersigneds true and lawful attorney-infact to:

- (1) Complete and execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigneds capacity as an officer, director and/or stockholder of Monolithic Power Systems, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms ID, 3, 4, and 5 and other forms and all amendments thereto as such attorney-in-fact shall in his or her discretion determine to be required or advisable in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, or any successor laws and regulations, as consequence of the undersigneds ownership, acquisition or disposition of securities of the Company;
- (2) Do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such forms or amendment thereto and timely file such forms with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) Take any other action of any type whatsoever which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be necessary or desirable in connection with the foregoing authority, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve. The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power

and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-facts substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigneds responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms ID, 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigneds holdings of and transaction in securities of the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the Company and the foregoing attorneys-in-fact. This Power of Attorney may be filed with the SEC as a confirming statement of the authority granted herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this day of July 14, 2006.

Umesh Padval	
Print Name of Reporting	Person
/s/Umesh Padval Signature	