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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION							OMMISSION	OMB APPROVAL			
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Form 4 or Form 5 obligation may conti <i>See</i> Instru 1(b).	Filed purs s Section 17(a) of the l	Public Ut		ing Com	pany	Act of	e Act of 1934, f 1935 or Section 40	response	•	
(Print or Type R	esponses)										
			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC [MPWR]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 6409 GUAD	(First) (M	iddle) ROAD	3. Date of (Month/Da 02/25/20	-	ansaction			Director X Officer (give below) VP &		o Owner er (specify el	
(Street) 4. If A				If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SAN JOSE,	CA 95120			th/Day/Year)	-			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by C Form filed by M Person	One Reporting Pe	erson	
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	Code	(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	sposed	of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/25/2010			А	30,000 (1)	А	\$0	45,138	D		

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

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
		irector	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Tseng Saria 6409 GUADALUPE MINE SAN JOSE, CA 95120		VP & General Counsel						
Signatures								
Saria Tseng	02/25/2010							

Reporting Person Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Subject to accelerated vesting in certain circumstances, 25% of the Performance Units are subject to vest on the 12-month anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date and 25% of the Performance Units are subject to vest on each of the next 3 yearly anniversaries of the

(1) The vesting commencement Date and 25% of the renormance of the subject to vest of each of the next 5 yearly anniversaries of the Vesting Commencement Date, provided that the Grantee continues to be a Service Provider from the Grant Date through each applicable vesting date.

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