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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Xiao Deming			Symbol MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC [MPWR]					(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 79 GREAT OAKS BLVD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2018					Director 10% Owner Superior Other (specify below) Pres. of MPS Asia Operations				
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person						
SAN JOSE	E, CA 95119							Form filed by Mor Person	re than One Rep	orting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	y Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	onDisposed (Instr. 3, 4	of (D) 4 and 5 (A) or (D)	Price	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Stock	08/10/2018			S <u>(1)</u>	11,081	D	138.927 (2)	2 313,929	D			
Common Stock								1,101	I	by Spouse		

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Xiao Deming

79 GREAT OAKS BLVD Pres. of MPS Asia Operations

SAN JOSE, CA 95119

Signatures

By: Saria Tseng For: 08/14/2018 Deming Xiao

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- 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).
- (1) Transaction was executed during an authorized trading window in compliance with the Company's Insider Trading Compliance Program.
- The price is the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on this line. The prices for the transactions reported on this line (2) range from \$138.90 to \$138.953. The reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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