

FIRST SOLAR, INC.

Form 4

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FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Sohn Bruce

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/- FIRST SOLAR, INC., 4050
EAST COTTON CENTER BLVD.

(Street)

PHOENIX, AZ 85040

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

FIRST SOLAR, INC. [FSLR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

03/18/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below)

President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/18/2008		M	72 A	\$ 4.54 9,029	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	72 D	\$ 201.28 8,957	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2008		M	714 A	\$ 4.54 9,671	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	714 D	\$ 201.02 8,957	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2008		M	429 A	\$ 4.54 9,386	D	

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Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	429	D	\$ 201.13	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	429	A	\$ 4.54	9,386	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	429	D	\$ 201.2	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	143	A	\$ 4.54	9,100	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	143	D	\$ 201.05	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	214	A	\$ 4.54	9,171	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	214	D	\$ 201.18	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	143	A	\$ 4.54	9,100	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	143	D	\$ 201.04	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	143	A	\$ 4.54	9,100	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	143	D	\$ 201.11	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	571	A	\$ 4.54	9,528	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	571	D	\$ 201.03	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	1,071	A	\$ 4.54	10,028	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	1,071	D	\$ 201	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	286	A	\$ 4.54	9,243	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	286	D	\$ 201.21	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	72	A	\$ 4.54	9,029	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	72	D	\$ 201.09	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008	M	143	A	\$ 4.54	9,100	D
	03/18/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	143	D		8,957	D

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Common Stock						\$ 201.12		
Common Stock	03/18/2008		M	143	A	\$ 4.54	9,100	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	143	D	\$ 201.16	8,957	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008		M	357	A	\$ 4.54	9,314	D
Common Stock	03/18/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	357	D	\$ 201.14	8,957	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008		M	72	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	72
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008		M	714	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	714
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008		M	429	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	429
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008		M	429	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	429
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008		M	143	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	143

(right to buy)									
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	214	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	214	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	143	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	143	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	143	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	143	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	571	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	571	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	1,071	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	1,071	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	286	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	286	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	72	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	72	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	143	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	143	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	143	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	143	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.54	03/18/2008	M	357	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2015	Common Stock	357	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sohn Bruce C/- FIRST SOLAR, INC. 4050 EAST COTTON CENTER BLVD. PHOENIX, AZ 85040	X		President	

Signatures

/s/ I. Paul Kacir,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/20/2008

__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) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
 - (2) All of the underlying shares in respect of the option are fully vested.

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