

FIRST SOLAR, INC.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Schultz Kenneth M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/- FIRST SOLAR, INC., 350  
WEST WASHINGTON STREET  
SUITE 600

(Street)

TEMPE, AZ 85281-1244

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRST SOLAR, INC. [FSLR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/13/2008

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)  
Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)
Common Stock	05/13/2008		M			23	\$ 2.06	23	D	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>			23	\$ 294.61	0	D	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/13/2008		M			173	\$ 2.06	173	D	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>			173	\$ 294.67	0	D	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/13/2008		M			173	\$ 2.06	173	D	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	173	D	\$ 294.65	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	44	A	\$ 2.06	44	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	44	D	\$ 294.83	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	259	A	\$ 2.06	259	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	259	D	\$ 294.77	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	259	A	\$ 2.06	259	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	259	D	\$ 294.82	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	888	A	\$ 2.06	888	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	888	D	\$ 294.75	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	86	A	\$ 2.06	86	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	86	D	\$ 294.8	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	1,923	A	\$ 2.06	1,923	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	1,923	D	\$ 294.74	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	173	A	\$ 2.06	173	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	173	D	\$ 294.7	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	173	A	\$ 2.06	173	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	173	D	\$ 294.705	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	173	A	\$ 2.06	173	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	173	D	\$ 294.72	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	M	1,643	A	\$ 2.06	1,643	D
	05/13/2008	<u>S</u> (1)	1,643	D	\$ 294	0	D

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Common Stock								
Common Stock	05/13/2008		M	6,737	A	\$ 2.06	6,737	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>	6,737	D	\$ 293	0	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008		M	2,551	A	\$ 2.06	2,551	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>	2,551	D	\$ 293.11	0	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008		M	23	(2)	12/08/2013	Common Stock	23
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008		M	173	(2)	12/08/2013	Common Stock	173
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008		M	173	(2)	12/08/2013	Common Stock	173
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008		M	44	(2)	12/08/2013	Common Stock	44
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008		M	259	(2)	12/08/2013	Common Stock	259

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(right to buy)									
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	259	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	259	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	888	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	888	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	86	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	86	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	1,923	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	1,923	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	173	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	173	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	173	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	173	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	173	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	173	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	1,643	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	1,643	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	6,737	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	6,737	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.06	05/13/2008	M	2,551	<u>(2)</u>	12/08/2013	Common Stock	2,551	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Schultz Kenneth M C/- FIRST SOLAR, INC. 350 WEST WASHINGTON STREET SUITE 600 TEMPE, AZ 85281-1244			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

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

05/14/2008

\_\_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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