MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Hsing Michael	Symbol	Issuer
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MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC [MPWR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	_X_ Director	10% Owner
9850 LANA	ARK LANE		(Month/Day/Year) 08/12/2008	_X_ Officer (below)	give titleOther (specify below) CEO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person

SARATOG	GA, CA 95070						Form filed by N Person	1 0	
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	09/12/2009		c (1)	200	D.	¢ 27 27	602 607	T	By Jointly

Code V Amount (D) Price Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)	
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Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.57	693,197	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.58	693,097	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.59	692,997	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 27.6	692,597	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.62	692,497	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.64	692,397	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.645	692,297	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.66	692,197	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.67	692,097	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.68	691,997	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 27.69	691,797	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 27.71	691,597	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 27.72	691,197	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 27.73	690,797	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 27.74	690,597	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 27.75	690,397	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 27.78	690,197	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 27.81	689,997	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.82	689,897	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 27.83	689,597	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
	08/12/2008	S(1)	200	D	\$ 27.84	689,397	I	

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Common Stock							By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S(1)	400	D	\$ 27.85 688,997	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S(1)	100	D	\$ 27.86 688,897	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S(1)	500	D	\$ 27.87 688,397	I	By Jointly w/Spouse
Common Stock	08/12/2008	S(1)	100	D	\$ 27.91 688,297	I	By Jointly w/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 Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Hsing Michael							
19850 LANARK LANE	X		CEO				
SARATOGA, CA 95070							

Signatures

By: Adriana Chiocchi For: Michael 08/13/2008 Hsing

3 Reporting Owners

**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) In accordance with the reporting person's 10b5-1 trading plan.

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