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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

FIRESTONE LAWRENCE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ADVANCED ENERGY **INDUSTRIES INC [AEIS]**

(Check all applicable)

EVP & Chief Financial Officer

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/26/2006

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Issuer

below)

1625 SHARP POINT DRIVE

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

FORT COLLINS, CO 80525

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

(Instr. 8)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(A) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) Derivative or Disposed of Security (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V

(A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration

Title Date

Amour Numbe of Shar

Common \$ 17.12 09/26/2006 Stock

Α 80,000

09/26/2007(1) 09/26/2016

Common 80,00 Stock

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

FIRESTONE LAWRENCE 1625 SHARP POINT DRIVE FORT COLLINS, CO 80525

EVP & Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Hans Betz -09/28/2006 Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- The employee stock options granted on September 26, 2006 will vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

Remarks:

Exhibit List

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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