WERNER THOMAS H

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WERNER THOMAS H	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SUNPOWER CORP [SPWRA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approacie)		
C/O SUNPOWER CORPORATION, 3939 NORTH FIRST STREET	(Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2011	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specification) below) Director, Pres and CEO		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN JOSE, CA 95134	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
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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. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed 4 and 5 (A) or	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)
Class A Common Stock	01/31/2011		M	Amount 5,551	(D)	\$ 0	186,293	D	
Class A Common Stock	01/31/2011		F(1)	2,270	D	\$ 13.44	184,023	D	
Class A Common Stock	01/31/2011		M	14,878	A	\$ 0	198,901	D	
Class A	01/31/2011		$F_{-}^{(1)}$	5,473	D	\$	193,428	D	

Common 13.44 Stock

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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Securities Code Acquired (A) or (Instr. 8) Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title ar Underlyin (Instr. 3 a	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Units (RSUs)	<u>(2)</u>	01/31/2011		A	100,000		(3)	(3)	Class A Commo Stock
Restricted Stock Units (RSUs)	<u>(2)</u>	01/31/2011		M		5,551	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Commo Stock
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units (PSUs)	<u>(5)</u>	01/31/2011		M		14,878	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Class A

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner runner, runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WERNER THOMAS H C/O SUNPOWER CORPORATION 3939 NORTH FIRST STREET SAN JOSE, CA 95134	X		Director, Pres and CEO				

Signatures

Karla Rogers, as attorney-in-fact for Thomas H.
Werner 02/02/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Disposition of shares exempt under Rule 16b-3 as payment of tax liability to Company by delivery or withholding securities incident to vesting of restricted stock shares.
- (2) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock upon vesting.
- (3) The RSUs vest in three equal installments on each of March 1, 2012, March 1, 2013 and March 1, 2014.
- (4) The RSUs shall vest in three equal installments on each of January 31, 2009, January 31, 2010 and January 31, 2011.
- (5) Each PSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock upon vesting.
 - On January 31, 2008, Reporting Person was awarded a number of PSUs within a preset range, with the actual number contingent upon the achievement of certain performance criteria. The Compensation Committee of the Issuer's Board of Directors confirmed achievement of
- the performance criteria on January 29, 2009 and, based on that assessment, determined the number of PSUs. The PSUs vest in three equal installments on each of January 31, 2009, January 31, 2010 and January 31, 2011.

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