MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Sciammas Maurice Issuer Symbol MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS (Check all applicable) INC [MPWR] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 6409 GUADALUPE MINES ROAD 08/04/2008 Sr. V.P.of Sales and Marketing (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN JOSE, CA 95120 Person

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | le I - Non-l | Derivative | Secu | rities Acq | uired, Disposed | of, or Beneficia | ally Owned | |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|------------------|------|----------------|--|--|---|--|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | | 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 Stock | 08/04/2008 | | Code V $F_{\underline{(1)}}$ | Amount 1,699 (2) | (D) | Price \$ 25.14 | 73,164 <u>(3)</u> | D | | |
| Common Stock | 08/05/2008 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 3,051 | D | \$ 25.12 | 70,113 | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 170,934 | I | by Family Trust (4) | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 29,671 | I | byC Sciammas 04 TRST (5) | |
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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) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | 7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr. | nt of lying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|---|----------------------------|--|
| | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sciammas Maurice 6409 GUADALUPE MINES ROAD SAN JOSE, CA 95120

Sr. V.P.of Sales and Marketing

Signatures

By: Adriana Chiocchi For: Maurice Sciammas

08/05/2008

**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)** In accordance with the reporting person's 10b5-1 trading plan.
- Shares withheld to pay tax obligations resulting from the vesting of restricted stock. **(2)**
- **(3)** The amount of securities reported reflects an increase of 74,500 shares that had been incorrectly reported in previous filings.
- Shares held by Sciammas Family Living Trust, Maurice Sciammas and Christina Sciammas, Trustees **(4)**
- Shares held by Christina Sciammas 2004 Trust, Christina Sciammas and Maurice Sciammas, Trustees **(5)**

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(6) Shares held by Maurice Sciammas 2004 Trust, Maurice Sciammas and Christina Sciammas, Trustees

Remarks:

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The amount of securities reported as held for the Sciammas Family Living Trust reflects a reduction of 48,548 shares that had

The amount of securities reported as held for the Maurice Sciammas 2004 Trust reflects a reduction of 12,976 shares that had

The amount of securities reported as held for the Christina Sciammas 2004 Trust reflects a reduction of 12,976 shares that had Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays