Wenger Howard Form 4 March 02, 2011

# FORM 4

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

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(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Wenger Howard

(Middle)

(First)

C/O SUNPOWER CORPORATION, 3939 NORTH FIRST STREET

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SUNPOWER CORP [SPWRA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President, Util. & Pwr Plants

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of	` ′	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	03/01/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	2,000	D	\$ 17.3581 (2)	42,365	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2011		M	10,229	A	\$ 0	52,594	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2011		F(3)	3,752	D	\$ 17.23	48,842	D	
Class A	03/01/2011		M	23,333	A	\$ 0	72,175	D	

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Common Stock

Class A

Common 03/01/2011  $F_{\underline{(3)}}$  8,559 D \$ 17.23 63,616 D

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)

Se	Fitle of Derivative curity str. 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 TransactionDerivative Code Securities Acquired (Instr. 8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 an	
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Re	erformance-Based estricted Stock nits (PSUs)	<u>(4)</u>	02/28/2011		A	30,688		<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Class A Common Stock
Re	erformance-Based estricted Stock nits (PSUs)	<u>(4)</u>	03/01/2011		M		10,229	<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Class A Common Stock
	estricted Stock nits (RSUs)	<u>(6)</u>	03/01/2011		M		23,333	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Class A Common Stock

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wenger Howard C/O SUNPOWER CORPORATION 3939 NORTH FIRST STREET SAN JOSE, CA 95134

President, Util. & Pwr Plants

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### **Signatures**

Karla Rogers, as attorney-in-fact for Howard Wenger

03/02/2011

\*\*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 sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a previously adopted rule 10b5-1 trading plan by the reporting person.
- Price reflects weighted average sales price; actual sales prices ranged from \$16.97 to \$17.80. The reporting person undertakes to provide,
- (2) upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price.
- (3) 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.
- (4) Each PSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock upon vesting.
- On August 5, 2010, 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 February 28, 2011 and, based on that assessment, determined the number of PSUs. The PSUs vest in three equal installments on each of March 1, 2011, March 1, 2012 and March 1, 2013.
- (6) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock upon vesting.
- (7) The RSUs shall vest in three equal installments on each of March 1, 2011, March 1, 2012 and March 1, 2013.

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