LEDESMA BRUCE

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEDESMA BRUCE			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 applicable)			
C/O SUNPOWER CORPORATION, 77 RIO ROBLES		ROBLES	(Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2011	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Gen Counsel & Corp. Sec.			
	(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			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
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. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock	05/03/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	2,000	D	\$ 21.26	20,317	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/03/2011		M	3,333	A	\$ 0	23,650	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/03/2011		F(2)	1,223	D	\$ 21.54	22,427	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units (RSUs)	(3)	05/03/2011		M	3,333	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock	3,333	:

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LEDESMA BRUCE C/O SUNPOWER CORPORATION 77 RIO ROBLES SAN JOSE, CA 95134

EVP, Gen Counsel & Corp. Sec.

Signatures

Karla Rogers, as attorney-in-fact for Bruce Ledesma 05/05/2011

**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 dated as of June 2, 2010 by the reporting person.
- (2) 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.
- (3) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock upon vesting.

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(4) The RSUs shall vest in three equal installments on each of August 16, 2010, May 3, 2011 and May 3, 2012.

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