BALAKRISHNAN BALU

Form 4

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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(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BALAKRISHNAN BALU			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol POWER INTEGRATIONS INC [POWI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 5245 HELL	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date o (Month/I 45 HELLYER AVE 11/22/2					ansaction			Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO			
(Street) SAN JOSE, CA 95138			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non	- D	erivative :	Secur	ities Acqı	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year) Execution any		med on Date, if Day/Year)	Date, if Transaction(A Code (Ir					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	11/22/2010			M	•	4,000	A		227,448	I	by Trust	
Common Stock	11/22/2010			S		4,000	D	\$ 38.24	223,448	I	by Trust	
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
	Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.2	11/22/2010		M	4,000 (1)	02/21/2002	02/21/2012	Common Stock	4,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BALAKRISHNAN BALU 5245 HELLYER AVE SAN JOSE, CA 95138

President and CEO

Signatures

By: /s/ Eric Verity Attorney-In-Fact For: Balu Balakrishnan

11/23/2010

**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) This sale is pursuant to a 10B5-1 Sales Plan

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