FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Mekhiche Mike M						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. [OPTT]									Check	all app	licable)		Issuer Owner r (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O OCEAN POWER TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 1590 REED ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/22/2016									X	belov			v)`
(Street) PENNINGTON NJ 08534 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (Dwne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Da		n Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						4 and Sec Ben		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Code	v	Amount	(.	A) or D)	Price	. 1	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)		(msu. 4)			
Common Stock 10/22/					2/2016				F		1,586((1) D \$		\$3.	.22 41,414		1,414	D	
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)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		n Date, ay/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of	rities ired r osed)	6. Date Expiration (Month/L) Date Exercisa	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Numbe of Shares		ount nber			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares delivered back to the Company for payment of tax liability related to shares that vested.

<u>/s/ Mike M. Mekhiche</u> <u>10/25/2016</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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