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* <u>Kirby George H III</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. [OPTT]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O OCEAN POWER TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 28 ENGELHARD DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2018								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, CEO				
(Street) MONRO TOWNS:	HIP N		08831 (Zip)	_	Line) X Form filed by								d by One	//Group Filing (Check Applicable by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
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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. Transaction Code (Instr.		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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		cpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$0.41	12/07/2018		A		200,000 ⁽¹⁾		12/07/2019	12	2/07/2028	Common Stock	200,000(1)	\$0	200,0	00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents stock option granted under the Company's 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan, as amended, which vest in full one year from award date.

/s/ George H. Kirby III by

Matthew T. Shafer as attorney- 12/11/2018

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** 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).
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