

Ovtchinnikov Alexander
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Ovtchinnikov Alexander

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 IPG PHOTONICS CORP [IPGP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O IPG PHOTONICS CORPORATION, 50 OLD WEBSTER ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 08/23/2010

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Vice President

(Street)
 OXFORD, MA 01540

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	08/23/2010		M		3,586	A	\$ 5.37 120,917 D
Common Stock	08/23/2010		S ⁽¹⁾		3,586	D	\$ 22.01 117,331 D
Common Stock	08/24/2010		M		4,814	A	\$ 5.37 122,145 D
Common Stock	08/24/2010		S ⁽¹⁾		4,814	D	\$ 22.01 117,331 D

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 sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 11, 2009.

The reported transaction involved sales transactions from \$22.00 to \$22.02 per share. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) The reported transaction involved sales transactions from \$22.00 to \$22.05 per share. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) These options are exercisable in five equal annual installments of 20,000 shares beginning on 4/18/07.

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