

Powers Robert Patrick  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Powers Robert Patrick		(Month/Day/Year)	PLUG POWER INC [PLUG]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	06/28/2006	
968 ALBANY SHAKER ROAD		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
LATHAM,Â NYÂ 12110		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)	
		Acting Chief Financial Officer		<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	2,591 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Options to Purchase Common Stock	Â (2)	06/01/2015	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 6.32	D	Â
Options to Purchase Common Stock	Â (3)	02/01/2016	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 5.58	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Powers Robert Patrick 968 ALBANY SHAKER ROAD LATHAM, NY 12110	Â	Â	Â Acting Chief Financial Officer	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Robert Patrick  
Powers

06/30/2006

\*\*Signature of Reporting  
Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Of these shares, 591 are currently vested; 666 shares will vest on 2/1/2007; 667 shares will vest on 2/1/2008 and 2/1/2009, respectively.
- (2) The stock options vest as follows: 1,333 are currently exercisable; 1,333 and 1,334 will vest on 6/1/2007 and 6/1/2008, respectively.
- (3) The stock options vest as follows: 2,000 shares exercisable on 2/1/2007; 2,000 shares exercisable on 2/1/2008; and 2,000 shares exercisable on 2/1/2009.

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