Rapisarda Paul Howard Form 4 May 11, 2011

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rapisarda Paul Howard

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ATLANTIC POWER CORP [AT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2011

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Director X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Managing Director

C/O ATLANTIC POWER CORPORATION, 200

CLARENDON ST., FLOOR 25

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

BOSTON, MA 02116

(City)

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or		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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Share	03/31/2011		A(5)	37,441 (5)	A	(<u>5</u>)	52,490	D	
Common Share	03/31/2011		D(5)	12,480 (5)	D	\$ 15.11 (5)	40,010	D	

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

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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)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Disposed	ve es d (A) or	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Notional Unit	(1)	03/31/2011		A	9,718 (2)		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Share	9,718
Dividend Equivalent Right	<u>(4)</u>	03/31/2011		A	362 (4)		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Share	362
Notional Unit	<u>(1)</u> <u>(5)</u>	03/31/2011		M		37,441	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Share	37,441

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
seponing of the state of state of	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Rapisarda Paul Howard C/O ATLANTIC POWER CORPORATION 200 CLARENDON ST., FLOOR 25 BOSTON, MA 02116			Managing Director			

Signatures

Patrick J. Welch 05/11/2011

**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).
- Each notional unit under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan represents a right to receive one-third in cash (net of any applicable (1) withholdings) and the remainder in a fractional common share, or (at the election of the reporting person) one common share, or (at the discretion of the board of directors of the Company) cash only.
- (2) Represents notional units earned (i.e. for which the performance-based hurdles have been met) pursuant to the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (3) Excludes 46,559 units previously reported as to which the performance-based hurdles had not been met.
- (4) Represents dividend equivalent rights accrued on the units previously earned pursuant to the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan. Dividend equivalent rights are credited in notional units. See footnote (1) for economic rights of a notional unit.
- (5) The reporting person settled one-third of 37,441 units in cash and the remainder in common shares.

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