FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Slaiby Peter E.						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)	(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2024									A		er (give title		Other (specify below)		
C/O OCEAN POWER TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 28 ENGELHARD DRIVE, SUITE B					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(Street)	DE		0021											А		filed by Mo		an One Repo		
TOWNS	TOWNSHIP 08831					Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication														
(City)	(State) (Zip) Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														nded to					
		Table	I - Nor	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	or E	Benef	cially	Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						eemee ution I / th/Day	Date,			Disposed C	es Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned Report	ties cially Following	Forn (D) c	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pi	ice	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(111511.4)	
Common Stock 01/22/2						:024			A		110,294	A	<b>A</b>	(1)	20	206,871		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)	ve Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any							6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Der See (Ins	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	of Share:							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares acquired upon the vesting of a restricted stock unit granted in January 2023.

/s/ Peter E. Slaiby

01/23/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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