

PORTER JAMES S
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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 *
PORTER JAMES S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
APOGEE ENTERPRISES, INC.
[APOG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
4400 WEST 78TH STREET, SUITE 520

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/19/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

(Street)
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55435

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|-------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or (D) Price | | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/19/2012 | | A | | 11,059 (3) | A | \$ 0 100,900 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/19/2012 | | F | | 7,796 | D | \$ 13.75 93,104 (1) | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 200 | I | By Daughter |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 150 | I | By Son |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 1,521 (2) | I | 401(k) Plan |

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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. 8) | 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Performance Share Units | \$ 0 | 04/19/2012 | | D | 11,059 | (3) 05/02/2012 | Common Stock | 11,059 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PORTER JAMES S 4400 WEST 78TH STREET SUITE 520 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55435 | | | Chief Financial Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ Patricia A. Beithon, Attorney-in-Fact for James S. Porter

04/23/2012

**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).

(1) Includes shares acquired under the ESPP as of 3/31/12 and shares of restricted stock granted under the Amended and Restated 2002 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan and 2009 Stock Incentive Plan.

(2) Represents the approximate number of shares of common stock for which the Reporting Person has the right to direct the vote under the Apogee 401(k) Retirement Plan per the Trustee's 3/31/12 statement. Shares of common stock are not directly allocated to the Plan participants, but are instead held in a unitized fund consisting primarily of common stock and a small percentage of short-term investments. Participants acquire units in this fund.

(3) 11,059 represents the number of performance share units that vested on April 19, 2012 based on the three-year corporate financial performance period ending on March 3, 2012, as previously reported.

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