PLUG POWER INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HICKEY DOUGLAS T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

PLUG POWER INC [PLUG]

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

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

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

C/O PLUG POWER INC., 968 ALBANY SHAKER RD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

05/18/2016

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

LATHAM, NY 12110

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise any

5. Number of Transaction Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8 | 8) | Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | ed of | | | | |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|------------|------------------|-----------|----|---------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Option to Purchase | \$ 1.76 | 05/18/2016 | | A(1) | | 30,000 | | 05/18/2017 | 05/18/2026 | Common Stock | 30,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Topolong of the remote remote the | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| HICKEY DOUGLAS T C/O PLUG POWER INC. 968 ALBANY SHAKER RD LATHAM, NY 12110 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Gerard L. Conway, Jr.,
Attorney-in-Fact

**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) Awarded pursuant to the Issuer's 2011 Non-Employee Director Compensation Plan.

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