Erskine Richard G Form 4 January 05, 2010

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Erskine Richard G

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

Ascent Solar Technologies, Inc.

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[ASTI]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O ASCENT SOLAR TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 12300 **GRANT STREET**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2009

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

THORNTON, CO 80241

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

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

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price (D)

Common Stock

12/31/2009

Code V Amount $M^{(1)}$ 959 (1)

1,918 (1)

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. NumbionDerivatii Securitic Acquire or Dispo (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	ve es d (A) osed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. D Se (I
				Code V	7 (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/31/2009		M(1)		959 (1)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	959 (1)	
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	01/01/2010		A	5,660		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	5,660	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Erskine Richard G C/O ASCENT SOLAR TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 12300 GRANT STREET THORNTON, CO 80241	X					

Signatures

David C. Wang, as attorney-in-fact for Richard G. 01/04/2010 Erskine **Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Date

- Represents restricted stock units that fully vested on December 31, 2009. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to **(1)** receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- In addition to the restricted stock units, Mr. Erskine holds 15,190 Class B warrants that are immediately exercisable.
- These newly granted restricted stock units vest quarterly in 2010. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.

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