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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BuAbbud George H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IPG PHOTONICS CORP [IPGP]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) C/O IPG Pl CORPORA WEBSTER	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2008					(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President					
F				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			
OAFORD, MA 01340 Person											
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or			Securities Ownership Inc Beneficially Form: Direct Be Owned (D) or Ov		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/06/2008			Code V M	Amount 10,000	(D)	Price \$ 1.5	30,000	D		
Common Stock	05/06/2008			S <u>(1)</u>	10,000	D	\$ 18.5 (2)	20,000	D		
Common Stock	05/07/2008			M	25,000	A	\$ 1.5	45,000	D		
Common Stock	05/07/2008			S <u>(1)</u>	25,000	D	\$ 19.94 (3)	20,000	D		

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.5	05/06/2008		M	10,000	<u>(4)</u>	06/14/2012	Common Stock	10,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.5	05/07/2008		M	25,000	<u>(4)</u>	06/14/2012	Common Stock	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BuAbbud George H C/O IPG PHOTONICS CORPORATION 50 OLD WEBSTER ROAD OXFORD, MA 01540

Vice President

Signatures

Angelo P. Lopresti,

Attorney-in-fact 05/08/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 7, 2008.
- (2) Sales ranged from \$18.00 to \$19.00 as follows: 5,000 shares at \$18.00 and 5,000 shares at \$19.00.
 - Sales ranged from \$19.38 to \$20.00 as follows: 86 shares at \$19.38; 14 shares at \$19.50; 100 shares at \$19.61; 56 shares at \$19.62; 100 shares at \$19.62; 44 shares at \$19.63; 100 shares at \$19.64; 600 shares at \$19.65; 203 shares at \$19.71; 100 shares at \$19.72; 200 shares
- (3) at \$19.73; 200 shares at \$19.74; 100 shares at \$19.75; 97 shares at \$19.76; 100 shares at \$19.77; 100 shares at \$19.78; 800 shares at \$19.81; 200 shares at \$19.82; 100 shares at \$19.87; 100 shares at \$19.88; 400 shares at \$19.89; 400 shares at \$19.90; 500 shares at \$19.91; 1,700 shares at \$19.92; 100 shares at \$19.94; 1,700 shares at \$19.96; 2,795 shares at \$19.97; 3,105 shares at \$19.98; 100 shares at \$19.99; and 10,800 shares at \$20.00.
- (4) Mr. BuAbbud was granted options to purchase 200,000 shares. 20,000 of these options vested immediately, and the remaining vested in four equal annual installments of 50,000 shares beginning on 6/14/03.

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