MIDDLETON PAUL B
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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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 *
MIDDLETON PAUL B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PLUG POWER INC.,, 968 ALBANY-SHAKER ROAD

(Street)

LATHAM, NY 12110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
PLUG POWER INC [PLUG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/28/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer & SrVP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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	(A) or (D)	Price			

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 1.96	08/28/2018	A		200,000 (1)		(2)	08/28/2028	Common Stock	200,00
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	08/28/2018	A		200,000 (1)		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	200,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MIDDLETON PAUL B C/O PLUG POWER INC., 968 ALBANY-SHAKER ROAD LATHAM, NY 12110			Chief Financial Officer & SrVP	

Signatures

/s/ Gerard L. Conway, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact	08/30/2018
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Awarded pursuant to the Issuer's 2011 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.

(2) 66,666 options vest on August 28, 2019, 66,667 options vest on August 28, 2020 and 66,667 options vest on August 28, 2021.

(3) Each restricted stock unit is the equivalent of one share of Plug Power Inc. common stock.

(4) 66,666 restricted stock units vest on August 28, 2019, 66,667 restricted stock units vest on August 28, 2020 and 66,667 restricted stock units vest on August 28, 2021

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