

PORTER JAMES S  
Form 4  
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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)  
7900 XERXES AVENUE  
SOUTH, SUITE 1800  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/13/2008

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Financial Officer

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55431-1159

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

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

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					73,291 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					200	I	By Daughter
Common Stock					150	I	By Son
Common Stock					1,379 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	401(k) Plan
Common Stock	11/13/2008		A <sup>(3)</sup>	128 A \$ 7.9971	12,701	I	Partnership Plan Trust

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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)

Table with columns: 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), 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 3, 4, and 5).

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other), Title, Amount or Number of Shares.

Signatures

/s/ Patricia A. Beithon, Attorney-in-fact for James S. Porter, 11/14/2008

\*\*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).

Includes shares acquired under the ESPP as of 9/30/08, shares of restricted stock granted under the Partnership Plan, restricted stock (1) awards under the Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan, performance shares and shares distributed from the Partnership Plan that are now directly owned.

Represents the approximate number of shares of common stock for which the Reporting Person has the right to direct the vote under the (2) Apogee 401(k) Retirement Plan per the Trustee's 9/30/08 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.

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(3) Shares acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the Partnership Plan.

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