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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lesster Laban E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

Ideal Power Inc. [IPWR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(First)

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 04/13/2018

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

4120 FREIDRICH LANE, SUITE 100

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

(Instr. 8)

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

AUSTIN, TX 78744

(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)

(Middle)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative

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

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities**

Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	()	(Month/Day/Year)	or (E (In		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)	\$ 1.39	04/13/2018		A		26,681		(2)	04/13/2028	Common Stock	26,681

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lesster Laban E 4120 FREIDRICH LANE, SUITE 100 X AUSTIN, TX 78744

Signatures

/s/ Laban Edward Lesster 04/17/2018

**Signature of Reporting Date
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).
- (1) The option was issued from the Ideal Power Inc. Amended & Restated 2013 Equity Incentive Plan, as in existence on the date of grant.
- The right to purchase the common stock vests as follows: The right to purchase 8,893 shares of common stock vests on June 30, 2018; the right to purchase 8,894 shares of common stock vests on September 30, 2018; and the right to purchase 8,894 shares of common stock vests on December 31, 2018.

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