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#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549
SCHEDULE 13G
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No. \_\_)\*
Fuel Tech, Inc.

(Name of Issuer) Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities) 359523107

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)
Jim Black
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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)
April 23, 2008

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- þ Rule 13d-1(c)
- o Rule 13d-1(d)

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\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ( Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

#### **SCHEDULE 13G**

CUSIP No. 359523107

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

1 I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)

Kevin Douglas

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

2

(a) o

(b) þ

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

4

**United States** 

**SOLE VOTING POWER** 

5

NUMBER OF -0-

SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY 6

OWNED BY 877,800 (1)

EACH SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON -0-

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

8

1,254,000 (2)

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

9

1,254,000

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

10

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11

5.59%(3)

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12

IN

(1) Kevin Douglas

and his wife,

Michelle

Douglas, hold

539,221 shares

jointly as the

beneficiaries

and co-trustees

of the Kevin and

Michelle

Douglas Trust.

In addition,

Kevin Douglas

and Michelle

Douglas are

co-trustees of

the James

Douglas and

Jean Douglas

Irrevocable

Descendants

Trust, which

holds 338,579

shares. Pursuant

to Rule 13d-4 of

the Securities

Exchange Act

of 1934, Kevin

Douglas

disclaims

ownership of

these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(2) Kevin Douglas has dispositive power with respect to 125,400 shares held by James E. Douglas, III and 250,800 shares held by the Douglas Family Trust, in addition to the shares held by the Kevin and Michelle **Douglas Trust** and by the James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants Trust. Pursuant to Rule 13d-4 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Kevin Douglas disclaims ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(3) Based on 22,415,064 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock outstanding as of February 4, 2008, as reported in its

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report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007.

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#### **SCHEDULE 13G**

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

1 I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)

Michelle Douglas

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

2

(a) o

(b) þ

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

4

**United States** 

SOLE VOTING POWER

5

NUMBER OF -0-

SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY 6

OWNED BY 877,800 (1)

EACH SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON -0-

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

8

877,800 (1)

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

9

877,800

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

10

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11

3.92%(2)

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12

IN

#### (1) Michelle

Douglas and her

husband, Kevin

Douglas, hold

539,221 shares

jointly as the

beneficiaries

and co-trustees

of the Kevin and

Michelle

Douglas Trust.

In addition,

Michelle

Douglas and

Kevin Douglas

are co-trustees

of the James

Douglas and

Jean Douglas

Irrevocable

Descendants

Trust, which

holds 338,579

shares. Pursuant

to Rule 13d-4 of

the Securities

Exchange Act

of 1934,

Michelle

Douglas

disclaims

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ownership of these shares except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

(2) Based on 22,415,064 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock outstanding as of January 31, 2008, as reported in its report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007.

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

1 I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)

James E. Douglas, III

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

2

(a) o

(b) þ

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

4

**United States** 

SOLE VOTING POWER

5

NUMBER OF 125,400

SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY 6

OWNED BY -0-

EACH SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON -0-

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

8

125,400 (1)

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

9

125,400

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

10

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11

0.56%(2)

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12

IN

- (1) Kevin Douglas has dispositive power with respect to 125,400 shares held by James E. Douglas, III.
- (2) Based on 22,415,064 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock outstanding as of January 31, 2008, as reported in its report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007.

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

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Douglas Family Trust (1)

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

2

(a) o

(b) þ

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

4

California

SOLE VOTING POWER

5

NUMBER OF 250,800

SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY 6

OWNED BY -0-

EACH SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON -0-

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

8

250,800 (2)

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

9

250,800

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

10

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11

1.12%(2)

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12

OO

(1) James E.

Douglas, Jr. and

Jean A.

Douglas,

husband and

wife, are

co-trustees.

(2) Kevin Douglas

has dispositive

power with

respect to

250,800 shares

held by the

**Douglas Family** 

Trust.

(3) Based on

22,415,064

shares of the

Issuer s

Common Stock

outstanding as

of January 31,

2008, as

reported in its

report on Form

10-K for the

fiscal year

ended

December 31,

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#### **SCHEDULE 13G**

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)

James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants Trust (1)

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

2

(a) o

(b) þ

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

4

California

SOLE VOTING POWER

5

NUMBER OF 338,579

SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY 6

OWNED BY -0-

EACH SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON 338,579

WITH SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

8

-0-

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

9

338,579

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

10

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11

1.51%(2)

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

**12** 

OO

- (1) Kevin Douglas and Michelle Douglas, husband and wife, are co-trustees.
- (2) Based on 22,415,064 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock outstanding as of January 31, 2008, as reported in its report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31,

2007.

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#### Item 1.

(a) Name of Issuer:

Fuel Tech, Inc.

(b) Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices:

512 Kingsland Drive

Batavia, Illinois 60510

#### Item 2.

(1)(a) NAME OF PERSONS FILING:

Kevin Douglas

Michelle Douglas

James E. Douglas, III

(b) ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE:

125 E. Sir Francis Drake Blvd., Ste 400

Larkspur, CA 94939

(c) CITIZENSHIP:

**United States** 

(d) TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

Common Stock

(e) CUSIP NUMBER:

359523107

(2)(a) NAME OF PERSONS FILING:

**Douglas Family Trust** 

James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants Trust

(b) ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE:

125 E. Sir Francis Drake Blvd., Ste 400

Larkspur, CA 94939

(c) CITIZENSHIP:

California

(d) TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

Common Stock

(e) CUSIP NUMBER:

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## Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b) or 13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

- (a) o Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).
- (b) o Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (c) o Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (d) o Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8)
- (e) o An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
- (f) o An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g) o A parent holding company or control person in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
- (h) o A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
- (i) o A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a- 3);
- (j) o Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J) Not Applicable.

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#### Item 4. Ownership

Reference is made to Rows 5-9 and 11 of each of the cover pages of this Schedule 13G and associated footnotes, which Rows and footnotes are incorporated by reference herein.

As of the date of the event which required the filing of this Schedule 13G, the Reporting Persons held directly the following number of shares of the Issuer s Common Stock:

	COMMON
	STOCK
	DIRECTLY
REPORTING PERSON	HELD
Kevin and Michelle Douglas (1)(2)	539,221
James E. Douglas, III (3)	125,400
Douglas Family Trust (4)	250,800
James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants Trust (5)	338,579
Total	1,254,000

#### (1) Kevin Douglas

has (i) shared

voting and

shared

dispositive

power with

respect to all

539,221 shares

he holds jointly

with his wife,

Michelle

Douglas, as the

beneficiaries

and co-trustees

of the Kevin and

Michelle

Douglas Trust;

(ii) shared

dispositive

power with

respect to all

125,400 shares

held directly by

James E.

Douglas, III and

all 250,800

shares held

directly by the

**Douglas Family** 

Trust pursuant

to written

authorizations;

and (iii) shared voting and shared dispositive power, in his capacity as co-trustee, with respect to all 338,579 shares held directly by the James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants Trust. Pursuant to Rule 13d-4 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Kevin Douglas disclaims ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary

#### (2) Michelle

interest therein.

Douglas has (i) shared voting and shared dispositive power with respect to all 539,221 shares she holds jointly with her husband, Kevin Douglas, as the beneficiaries and co-trustees of the Kevin and Michelle **Douglas Trust** and (ii) shared voting and shared dispositive power, in her

capacity as co-trustee, with respect to all 338,579 shares held directly by the James Douglas and Jean Douglas Irrevocable Descendants Trust. Pursuant to Rule 13d-4 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Michelle Douglas disclaims ownership of these shares except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

- (3) James E.
  Douglas, III has sole voting power with respect to all 125,400 shares he holds directly and has shared dispositive power along with Kevin Douglas with respect to all of such shares.
- (4) The Douglas
  Family Trust
  has sole voting
  power with
  respect to all
  250,800 shares
  it holds directly
  and has shared
  dispositive
  power with
  Kevin Douglas

with respect to all of such shares.

(5) The James
Douglas and
Jean Douglas
Irrevocable
Descendants
Trust has sole
voting and sole
dispositive
power with
respect to all
338,579 shares
it holds directly.

Each of the Reporting Persons hereunder may be deemed a member of a group within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), or Rule 13d-5 promulgated under the Exchange Act with one or more of the other Reporting Persons hereunder. Although the Reporting Persons are reporting such securities as if they were members of a group, the filing of this Schedule 13G shall not be construed as an admission by any

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Reporting Person that such Reporting Person is a beneficial owner of any securities other than those directly held by such Reporting Person.

#### Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following: o

#### Item 6. Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not applicable.

# Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company

Not applicable.

#### Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

See Item 4 of this Schedule 13G and the Joint Filing Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A.

#### Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not applicable.

#### Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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#### **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Kevin Douglas

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Michelle Douglas

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

James E. Douglas, III

**DOUGLAS FAMILY TRUST** 

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Name: James E. Douglas, Jr.

Title: Trustee

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Jean A. Douglas

Title: Trustee

JAMES DOUGLAS AND JEAN DOUGLAS IRREVOCABLE DESCENDANTS TRUST

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Kevin Douglas

Title: Trustee

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Michelle Douglas

Title: Trustee

# EXHIBIT A JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

This Joint Filing Agreement (this Agreement ) hereby confirms the agreement by and among all of the undersigned that the Schedule 13G to which this Agreement is attached as Exhibit A with respect to the beneficial ownership of the undersigned of shares of the common stock of Particle Drilling Technologies, Inc. is being filed on behalf of each of the undersigned. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Kevin Douglas

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Michelle Douglas

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

James E. Douglas, III

**DOUGLAS FAMILY TRUST** 

Date: April 30, 2008 By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Name: James E. Douglas, Jr.

Title: Trustee

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Jean A. Douglas

Title: Trustee

JAMES DOUGLAS AND JEAN DOUGLAS IRREVOCABLE DESCENDANTS TRUST

Date: April 30, 2008

By: /s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as

Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Kevin Douglas

Title: Trustee

Date: April 30, 2008 By:

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/s/ Eileen Davis-Wheatman, as Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Michelle Douglas

Title: Trustee