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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
Ovtchinnikov Alexander

(First)

(State)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

IPG PHOTONICS CORP [IPGP]

03/01/2018

(Check all applicable)

SVP, Components

(Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

____ Director
__X_ Officer (give title

below)

__X__10% Owner e ____ Other (specify

C/O IPG PHOTONICS CORPORATION, 50 OLD WEBSTER ROAD

(Street) 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

Person

Table I. Non Darivative Securities Acquired Disposed of ar Ranaficially Ox

OXFORD, MA 01540

(City)

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or			or	5. Amount of Securities	7. Nature of Indirect			
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed	d of (D))	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(,,		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(4)		Reported			
					(A)		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	03/01/2018		A	4,931 (1)	A	\$0	78,200	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2018		F	744	D	\$0	77,456	D		

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable					
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Ovtchinnikov Alexander C/O IPG PHOTONICS CORPORATION 50 OLD WEBSTER ROAD OXFORD, MA 01540

X SVP, Components

Signatures

/s/ Angelo P. Lopresti, 03/05/2018 Attorney-in-fact

**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).
- Represents performance share units for which performance criteria is satisfied but which remain subject to service-based vesting on **(1)** March 1, 2019.

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