#### ATLANTIC POWER CORP

Form 4 March 04, 2014

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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shares (2)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Welch Barry Edward Issuer Symbol ATLANTIC POWER CORP [AT] (Check all applicable) (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O ATLANTIC POWER 02/28/2014 below) CORPORATION, ONE FEDERAL Chief Executive Officer STREET, 30TH FLOOR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BOSTON, MA 02110

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative So	ecurities	s Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transactio	4. Securition(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	posed of	(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(Histi. 3)		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(msu. 3, 4	and 3)		Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) P		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	00/00/0014		2.6		(2)		245 014	D	

5,973

6.232

D

(1)

2.64

345,014

345,014

D

D

Shares (1)							
Common shares (1)	02/28/2014	F	1,991	D	\$ 2.64	345,014	D
Common shares (2)	02/28/2014	M	18,696	A	<u>(2)</u>	345,014	D
Common	02/20/2014	E	( 222	Ъ	\$	245 014	Ъ

M

F

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 (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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	erivative Expiration Date eccurities (Month/Day/Year) cquired (A) r Disposed of D) nstr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Notional shares	(3)	02/28/2014		M	5,973 (3)	(3)	(3)	Common share	5,973	
Notional shares	<u>(4)</u>	02/28/2014		M	18,696 (4)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	18,696	

# **Reporting Owners**

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

Welch Barry Edward C/O ATLANTIC POWER CORPORATION ONE FEDERAL STREET, 30TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02110

X Chief Executive Officer

## **Signatures**

Reporting Person

/s/Barry E. 03/04/2014
Welch
\*\*Signature of 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).
- the reporting person acquired shares pursuant to the vesting (disclosed on Table II) of notional shares awarded in 2012 in respect of the 2011 performance year (the "Supplemental Grant"). Two thirds of the vested notional shares were settled in common shares and one third were settled in cash, which was deposited into the reporting persons applicable payroll tax withholding account.
- the reporting person acquired shares pursuant to the vesting (disclosed on Table II) of notional shares awarded in 2012 in respect of the 2011 performance year (the "Annual Grant"). Two thirds of the vested notional shares were settled in common shares and one third were settled in cash, which was deposited into the reporting persons applicable payroll tax withholding account.

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- (3) The reporting person vested in respect of one-third of the notional shares granted in 2012 with respect to the 2011 performance period (including additional notional shares accrued pursuant to dividend equivalent rights) (the "Supplemental Grant").
- (4) The reporting person vested in respect of one-third of the notional shares granted in 2012 with respect to the 2011 performance period (including additional notional shares accrued pursuant to dividend equivalent rights) (the "Annual Grant").
- The amount of securities beneficially owned following the reported transactions reflect those holdings as of the date of this Form. The total includes dividend equivalent rights accrued on the notional shares previously earned pursuant to the LTIP. Dividend equivalent rights are credited in notional shares.

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