FIRST SOLAR, INC.

Form 5

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. 011111	_	STATES SECU	S SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION					OMB	3235-0362		
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to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.								Estimated average burden hours per response 1.0			
See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported Form 4 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Transactions Reported											
1. Name and Addr PRESBY J TH	Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST SOLAR, INC. [FSLR]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last)	(Month/	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2016				(Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify					
C/O FIRST SOLAR, INC., 350 WEST WASHINGTON STREET SUITE 600											
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)					oint/Group Reporting				
TEMPE, AZ	85281-1244					_	X_ Form Filed by O Form Filed by M Person				
(City)	(State)	Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-Der	ivative Sec	curities	Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
Security (N (Instr. 3)	Transaction Date Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		sposed	of	Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	1/28/2016	Â	P4	4,000	A	\$ 31.2	13,958	D	Â		

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Common

Stock

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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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code	5. Number of	6. Date Exerc Expiration Do (Month/Day/	ate	7. Titl Amou Under	int of	8. Price of Derivative Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Securi (Instr.	ities 3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
<b>F</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PRESBY J THOMAS						
C/O FIRST SOLAR, INC.	â v	Â	â	â		
350 WEST WASHINGTON STREET SUITE 600	AA	Α	Α	A		
TEMPE. AZ 85281-1244						

### **Signatures**

/s/ Jason E. Dymbort, attorney-in-fact 02/23/2017

\*\*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).

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#### **Remarks:**

Exhibit List - Exhibit 24, Power of Attorney

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