

Casteel Janet
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Casteel Janet

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ASCENT SOLAR
TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 8120
SHAFFER PARKWAY

(Street)

LITTLETON, CO 80127

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
Ascent Solar Technologies, Inc.
[ASTI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/02/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.17	12/02/2008		A	10,000	01/01/2009 ⁽¹⁾ 12/02/2018	Common Stock 10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Casteel Janet C/O ASCENT SOLAR TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 8120 SHAFFER PARKWAY LITTLETON, CO 80127	Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

David C. Wang, as attorney-in-fact for Janet Casteel 12/04/2008

____Signature of Reporting Person

____Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) The options vest in the following amounts on the following dates: 2,500 on January 1, 2009; 2,500 on January 1, 2010; 2,500 on January 1, 2011; and 2,500 on January 1, 2012.

(2) Ms. Casteel also holds the following securities: 17,000 shares of common stock; vested options to purchase 7,003 that expire on February 27, 2016; vested options (or options that will vest within 60 days) to purchase 13,000 shares of common stock that expire on November 18, 2015; vested options to purchase 3,750 that expire on December 3, 2017; unvested options to purchase 7,141 shares of common stock that expire on February 27, 2016; and unvested options to purchase 3,750 shares of common stock that expire on December 3, 2017.

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