FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Puishys Joseph F.</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APOGEE ENTERPRISES, INC. [APOG] | | | | | | | | | elationship eck all applic X Directo | • | | | | |
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| (Last) 4400 WI SUITE 5 | EST 78TH S | , | (Middle) | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2011 | | | | | | | | | below) | Officer (give title below) Chief Executive | | Other (specify below) e Officer & Pres | | |
| (Street) MINNE | APOLIS M | | 55435 (Zip) | | - 4. 11 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | . Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - Nor | า-Deriv | ative | e Se | curiti | es Ac | quired | , Dis | posed c | of, or I | Bene | eficial | y Owned | I | | | | |
| Da | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | ear) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year | | Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | | (A) or . 3, 4 and | Beneficia | es ally Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Direct of Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A | A) or D) | Price | Transact (Instr. 3 | tion(s) | | | (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 08, | | | | 08/22 | 2/201 | 1 | | | J ⁽¹⁾ | | 0(1) | | A | \$0 | 0(1) | | | D | | |
| Common | Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 08/2: | | | | 2/201 | 1 | | | J ⁽¹⁾ | | 0(1) | | A \$0 | | 0(1) | | D | | | |
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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. Deeme Execution I if any (Month/Day | Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 3) | | of Ex | | Expiratio | Date Exercisabl piration Date lonth/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | Ownersl Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr. | Ownership | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | c | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisal | | Expiration Date | Title | O N | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | | |
| Option (Right to | (2) | 08/22/2011 | | | J ⁽²⁾ | | 0(2) | | 08/22/201 | 2 ⁽³⁾ | 08/22/2021 | Comm | | (2) | \$ 0 | \$1,300,0 | 000 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On August 2, 2011, the Board elected the Reporting Person as the Company's Chief Executive Officer, effective as of August 22, 2011 (the "Commencement Date"). On August 5, 2011, the Reporting Person and the Company entered into an Employment Agreement (the "Employment Agreement") to be effective as of the Commencement Date. Pursuant to the Employment Agreement, the Reporting Person will be granted time-based restricted stock valued at \$1,300,000 and unrestricted stock valued at \$500,000. The time-based restricted stock will vest in equal annual increments over a five-year period, beginning one year from the date of grant. The number of shares granted will be determined based on the closing price per share reported on the Commencement Date, at which time this filing will be amended to reflect the number of shares granted. In addition, on August 2, 2011, the Board of Directors of the Issuer elected the Reporting Person to the Issuer's Board, effective as of August 22, 2011.
- 2. Pursuant to the Employment Agreement, on the Commencement Date the Reporting Person will be granted stock options valued at \$1,300,000. The number of options awarded and the option exercise price will be determined based on the closing price per share reported on the Commencement Date, at which time this filing will be amended to reflect the number of options granted and the exercise price.
- 3. The options will vest in equal annual increments over a three-year period, beginning on the date indicated.

/s/ Patricia A. Beithon, 08/08/2011 Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph F. **Puishys**

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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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