FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Puishys Joseph F.	2. Date of Event Requiring Stater (Month/Day/Yea 08/22/2011	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APOGEE ENTERPRISES, INC. [ APOG ]									
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4400 WEST 78TH STREET SUITE 520  (Street) MINNEAPOLIS MN 55435  (City) (State) (Zip)				utionship of Reporting Perso call applicable) Director Officer (give title below) Chief Executive Office	10% Owner Other (spe below)	er	(Mon	hth/Day/Year) dividual or Joint cable Line) Form filed b	date of Original Filed  UGroup Filing (Check  y One Reporting Person  y More than One  erson			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)					
No securities are beneficially owned <sup>(1)</sup>				0(1)	D <sup>(1)</sup>							
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			3. Title and Amount of Secu Underlying Derivative Secu		ity (Instr. 4) Conv		rcise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
	Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	n Title	)	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Deriva	tive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. On August 2, the Board of Directors of the Issuer elected the Reporting Person as the Issuer's Chief Executive Officer, effective as of August 22, 2011 (the "Commencement Date"). On August 5, 2011, the Reporting Person and the Issuer 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 on the Commencement Date unrestricted shares of the Issuer's common stock valued at \$500,000, shares of time-based restricted stock of the Issuer valued at \$1,300,000 and options to purchase shares of the Issuer's stock valued (using a Black-Scholes valuation) at \$1,300,000. The number of shares and options to be granted and the option exercise price will be determined on the Commencement Date. 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.

s/ Patricia A. Beithon,

Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph F. 08/08/2011

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\*\* 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 5 (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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