PLUG POWER INC

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SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARXE AUSTIN W &

GREENHOUSE DAVID M

(First) (Last)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PLUG POWER INC [PLUG]

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

02/14/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

C/O SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUNDS, 527 MADISON AVENUE, **SUITE 2600**

(Street)

(State)

02/14/2013

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDisposed of (D)

Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

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4. Securities Acquired (A) or (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)

I

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

\$ 0.1234 2,000,000 D

(A)

6,511,620

By Limited **Partnerships**

Common 02/14/2013 Stock

5,000,000 S (1)

D (2)

(2)

\$ 0.134 1.511.620 $I^{(1)}$ (1)

By Limited **Partnerships** (1)

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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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MARXE AUSTIN W & GREENHOUSE DAVID M C/O SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUNDS 527 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 2600 NEW YORK, NY 10022

X

Signatures

Austin W.

Marxe 02/19/2013

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

David M.

Greenhouse 02/19/2013

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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This is a joint filing by Austin W. Marxe (Marxe) and David M. Greenhouse (Greenhouse). They share voting and investment control over all securities owned by Special Situations Fund III QP, L.P. (SSFQP), Special Situations Cayman Fund, L.P. (Cayman), Special Situations Private Equity Fund, L.P. (PE), Special Situations Technology Fund, L.P. (Tech) and Special Situations Technology Fund II,

(1) L.P. (Tech2). 561,004 shares of Common Stock are held by SSFQP, 168,715 shares of Common Stock are held by Cayman, 103,251 shares of Common Stock are held by PE, 94,293 shares of Common Stock are held by Tech and 584,357 shares of Common Stock are held by Tech2. The interest of Marxe and Greenhouse in the shares of Common Stock owned by SSFQP, Cayman, PE, Tech and Tech2 is limited to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

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(2) This is a weighed average price.

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