

PLUG POWER INC  
Form 4  
December 24, 2002

<b>FORM 4</b>  [ ] Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).	<b>UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION</b>  Washington, D.C. 20549  <b>STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP</b>  Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940	OMB APPROVAL  <hr/> OMB Number: 3235-0287 Expires: December 31, 2001 Estimated average burden hours per response. . . . 0.5
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>Mechanical Technology Incorporated</b>  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>(Last)</span> <span>(First)</span> <span>(Middle)</span> </div> <b>431 New Karner Road</b>  <div style="text-align: center;">(Street)</div> <b>Albany, NY 12205</b>  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>(City)</span> <span>(State)</span> <span>(Zip)</span> </div> <b>USA</b>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>Plug Power Inc. PLUG</b>  3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)  <div style="text-align: center;"><b>14-1462255</b></div>	4. Statement for (Month/Year) <b>December 2002</b>  5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>_____ Director</span> <span><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10%</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>_____ Owner</span> <span>_____ Officer</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>_____ Other</span> <span>_____ Officer/Other</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>_____ Description</span> <span>_____</span> </div> 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual Filing <input type="checkbox"/> Joint/Group Filing
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code and Voluntary Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) Of (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
		Code   V	Amount   A/D   Price			
Plug Power Inc. - Common Stock	12/16/2002	S   &nbsp;nbsp;nbsp;	5,000.00   D \$5.55		D	
Plug Power Inc. - Common Stock	12/17/2002	S   &nbsp;nbsp;nbsp;	5,000.00   D \$5.59		D	
Plug Power Inc. - Common Stock	12/18/2002	S   &nbsp;nbsp;nbsp;	5,000.00   D \$5.26		D	
Plug Power Inc. - Common Stock	12/20/2002	SK (1)	2,721,088.00   D 	8,108,227.00	D	

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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 (Instr. 3)	2. Con- version or Exercise Price of Deri- vative Security	3. Trans- action Date  (Month/ Day/ Year)	4. Trans- action Code and Voluntary (V) Code (Instr.8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) Of  (Instr. 3,4 and 5)	6. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr.5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr.4)	10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4)
			Code   V		(DE)   (ED)					

Explanation of Responses :

\*\* 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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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person  
Date

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#### FOOTNOTE Descriptions for Plug Power Inc. PLUG

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**Mechanical Technology Incorporated**  
**431 New Karner Road**  
**Albany, NY 12205**

#### Explanation of responses:

(1) On December 20, 2002, MTI entered into an exchange transaction with First Albany Companies Inc. (FAC) where 8 million shares of MTI common stock owned

by FAC were exchanged for 2,721,088 shares of Plug Power common stock owned by MTI.

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