Donahue Lisa Joan Form 3 September 07, 2011 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number: January 31, **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF** Expires: **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Donahue Lisa Joan	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ATLANTIC POWER CORP [AT]			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ATLANTIC POWER CORPORATION, 200 CLARENDON ST., FLOOR 25 (Street) BOSTON, MA 02116	07/12/2011	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Interim CFO	 5. 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 		
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivative Securities B	eneficially Owned		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	

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Shares	or Indirect
	(I)
	(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Donahue Lisa Joan C/O ATLANTIC POWER CORPOR 200 CLARENDON ST., FLOOR 25 BOSTON, MA 02116		Â	Â	Interim CFO	Â	
Signatures						
Barry E. Welch, attorney-in-fact	09/07/201	1				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
Evaluation of Responses:						

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * 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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Remarks:

Exhibit 24-Power of Attorney

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