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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Argas, Shlomi		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ormat Technologies, Inc. [ORA]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director _____ 10% Owner _____ _X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Executive V.P., Projects					
(Last) (First) (Middle) c/o Ormat Technologies, Inc. 6225 Neil Road		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/07/2017							
(Street) Reno NV 89511		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					
(City) (State) (Zip)		Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)			

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. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	11/07/2017		A		1,337		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,337	0	43,837	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$63.35	11/07/2017		A		9,438		11/07/2019 (3)	11/07/2023	Common Stock	9,438	0	53,275	D	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Argas, Shlomi c/o Ormat Technologies, Inc. 6225 Neil Road Reno NV 89511			Executive V.P., Projects	

Signatures

/s/ Etty Rosner
Signature of Reporting Person

11/09/2017
Date

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of ORA common stock upon vesting.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest 25% on each of the one, two, three and four year anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (3) The stock appreciation rights vest 25% on each of the one, two, three and four year anniversaries of the date of grant.

Remarks:

Etty Rosner is signing on behalf of Mr. Argas pursuant to a power of attorney dated July 15, 2014.

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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