

ORMAT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Form 4

April 11, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Krieger Zvi

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ORMAT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.
[ORA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O ORMAT TECHNOLOGIES,
INC., 980 GREG STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/07/2006

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
VP, Geothermal Engineering

(Street)
SPARKS, NV 89431

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 I - 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 (D) Price			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)			
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.13	04/07/2006	A		15,000		04/07/2008 ⁽¹⁾	04/07/2016	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Krieger Zvi C/O ORMAT TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 980 GREG STREET SPARKS, NV 89431			VP, Geothermal Engineering	

Signatures

/s/ Diana Tenenbaum as attorney
in fact 04/10/2006

****Signature of Reporting Person** _____ **Date** _____

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Vesting schedule 25% 04/07/2008, 25% 04/07/2009, 50% 04/07/2010.

Remarks:

Diana Tenenbaum is signing on behalf of Mr. Krieger pursuant to a power of attorney dated November 4, 2004 filed as an exhibit to this case.

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