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Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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ISSUER

Ascent Solar Technologies, Inc.

CIK:1350102| IRS No.: 203672603 | State of Incorp.:DE | Fiscal Year End: 1231

SIC: 3674 Semiconductors & related devices

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address KUMAR AMI		on <u>*</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ascent Solar Technologies, Inc. [ASTI]	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director10% Owner				
(,			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2009	Officer (give title Other (specify bel				
C/O COMBIMATRIX CORPORATION, 6500								
HARBOUR HEIC	GHTS PARKWA	Y, SUITE 303						
(Street) MUKILTEO, WA 98275			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				
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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)	Execution			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	1	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/	4. Transaction		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)		of Derivative	Beneficially Owned Following	Derivative	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Year)	Code	<	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/01/2009		<u>A</u>		14,092		(2)	(<u>2</u>)	Common Stock	14,092	\$ 0	14,092 ^(<u>3</u>)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- 2. The restricted stock units vest in the following amounts on the following dates: 25% on March 31, 2009; 25% on June 30, 2009; 25% on September 30, 2009; and 25% on December 31, 2009.
- 3. Dr. Kumar also holds the following securities: 3,983 shares of common stock and vested options to purchase 8,000 shares of common stock that expire on June 20, 2017.

Signatures

Mark A. von Bergen, as attorney-in-fact for Amit Kumar

01/26/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
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