

ORMAT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Tenne Joseph

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

SPARKS, NV 89431

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	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 (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 8)			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.13	04/07/2006	A	15,000	04/07/2008 <sup>(1)</sup>	04/07/2016	Common Stock	15,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Tenne Joseph C/O ORMAT TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 980 GREG STREET SPARKS, NV 89431			Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Diana Tenenbaum as attorney in fact	04/10/2006
<i>**Signature of Reporting Person</i>	<i>Date</i>

## 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. Tenne pursuant to a power of attorney dated September 18, 2005 filed as an exhibit to Form 4.

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