FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or
Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*]
 Gilbreth Mark

 (Last) (First) (Middle)
 21211 NORDHOFF STREET

 (Street)
 CHATSWORTH, CA 91311

 (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CAPSTONE TURBINE CORP [cpst]

 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/07/2008

 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 ____ Director ____ 10% Owner
 __X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
 EVP Chief Technology Officer

 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 _X_ 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 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)	Price			
Common Stock	11/07/2008		A		25,000	A	$ 0	125,000	D	

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

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 Underlying Securities (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				
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-buy)	$ 1.37	11/07/2008	11/07/2008	A		150,000		11/07/2008[(1)]	11/07/2018	Common Stock	150,000	$ 0	150,000	D	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gilbreth Mark 21211 NORDHOFF STREET CHATSWORTH, CA 91311			EVP Chief Technology Officer	

Signatures

By Mark Gilbreth, Reporting Person	11/12/2008
[**]Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) 25% of the options vest on this date; and 1/48 of the shares vest monthly thereafter

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