#### OPPENHEIMER HOLDINGS 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** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

CRYSTAL RICHARD

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

OPE			Symbol OPPEN [OPY]	OPPENHEIMER HOLDINGS INC				(Check all applicable)				
(Mor			(Month/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2010				X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
GGA BGB A	(Street)		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						
SCARSDA	LE, NY 10583							Person		r		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)  Class A non voting common	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year 08/03/2010		n Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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)		
stock Class A												
non voting common stock	08/03/2010			S	1,000	D	\$ 29.23	7,300	D			
Class A non voting common stock	08/03/2010			S	1,000	D	\$ 29.234	6,300	D			

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Class A

non voting common 08/03/2010 S 1,000 D \$ 5,300 D

stock

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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 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)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	orities uired or osed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
Options on Class A non-voting common stock	\$ 19.99	08/03/2010		M		4,000	01/02/2008	01/02/2011	Class A non-voting common stock	4,000
Options on Class A non voting common stock	\$ 33.4						12/31/2008	12/31/2011	Class A non voting common stock	5,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CRYSTAL RICHARD							
41 BLACK BIRCH LN	X						
SCARSDALE, NY 10583							

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### **Signatures**

Richard Crystal 08/04/2010

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **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).

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