

FIRST SOLAR, INC.  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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|   |         |                                      |   |                                  |
|---|---------|--------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * |         | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol |                                  |
| Kishkill Joseph                           |         | (Month/Day/Year)                     | FIRST SOLAR, INC. [FSLR]                    |                                  |
| (Last)                                    | (First) | (Middle)                             | 09/09/2013                                  |                                  |
| C/O FIRST SOLAR INC., 350                 |         |                                      |   |                                  |
| WEST WASHINGTON                           |         |                                      |   |                                  |
| STREET, SUITE 600                         |         |                                      |   |                                  |
| (Street)                                  |         |                                      |   |                                  |
| TEMPE, AZ 85281                           |         |                                      |   |                                  |
| (City)                                    | (State) | (Zip)                                |   |                                  |
| 1. Title of Security                      |         | 2. Amount of Securities              | 3. Ownership                                | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial |
| (Instr. 4)                                |         | Beneficially Owned                   | Form:                                       | Ownership                        |
|   |         | (Instr. 4)                           | Direct (D)                                  | (Instr. 5)                       |
|   |         |                                      | or Indirect                                 |                                  |
|   |         |                                      | (I)   |                                  |
|   |         |                                      | (Instr. 5)                                  |                                  |
| No securities are beneficially owned      |         | 0                                    | D   |                                  |

(Check all applicable)

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

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

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 Beneficially Owned**

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

|                                 |   |  |   |   |  |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|---|--|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| (Instr. 4)                      | (Month/Day/Year)                        | (Instr. 4)   |   |   | (Instr. 5)                                 |

