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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BAN STEPHEN D | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ENERGEN CORP [EGN] | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---|--|------------|--|---|--|----------------|------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) | (First) (1 | Middle) 3. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | | (Choir an apprount) | | | |
| 605 RICHARD ARRINGTON JR. BLVD. NORTH | | | (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2012 | | | | | _X_ Director Officer (giv below) | | Owner or (specify | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| BIRMINGH (City) | HAM, AL 35203- | 2707 | · | h/Day/Year) | | | | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person | More than One Re | eporting | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | I - Non-De | erivative S | ecuri | ties Ac | quired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficial | lly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year) | | Date, if | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, | (A) o 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) | |
| Common Stock | 01/25/2012 | | | A | 1,390 | A | <u>(1)</u> | 27,154 | D | | |

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)

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| 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | ate | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|---|---|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title N | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships

BAN STEPHEN D 605 RICHARD ARRINGTON JR. BLVD. NORTH X BIRMINGHAM, AL 35203-2707

Signatures

J. D. Woodruff, Attorney o1/26/2012 in Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Annual grant under Energen Corporation Directors Stock Plan; no purchase price.

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