ALLIANT ENERGY CORP

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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) February 25, 2014

Commission Name of Registrant, State of Incorporation, IRS Employer

File Number Address of Principal Executive Offices and Telephone Number Identification Number

1-9894 ALLIANT ENERGY CORPORATION 39-1380265

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1-4117 INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY 42-0331370

(an Iowa corporation) Alliant Energy Tower Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52401 Telephone (319)786-4411

0-337 WISCONSIN POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY 39-0714890

(a Wisconsin corporation) 4902 N. Biltmore Lane Madison, Wisconsin 53718 Telephone (608)458-3311

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 25, 2014, Alliant Energy Corporation ("Alliant Energy") issued a press release announcing its earnings for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2013. A copy of such press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Alliant Energy included in the press release 2013 income from continuing operations and earnings per share from continuing operations excluding a regulatory-related credit at Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL) related to its Whispering Willow - East wind project due to a December 2013 Minnesota Public Utilities Commission order and charges associated with preferred stock redemptions at IPL and Wisconsin Power and Light Company (WPL). Alliant Energy included in the press release 2012 income from continuing operations and earnings per share from continuing operations excluding charges from non-recurring state income tax impacts and regulatory-related credits from a WPL rate case decision. Alliant Energy believes these non-GAAP financial measures (financial measures not prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America) are useful to investors because they provide an alternate measure to better understand and compare across periods the operating performance of Alliant Energy without the distortion of items that management believes are not normally associated with ongoing operations, and also provide additional information about Alliant Energy's operations on a basis consistent with the measures that management uses to manage its operations and evaluate its performance. Alliant Energy's management also uses income from continuing operations, as adjusted, to determine performance-based compensation.

In addition, Alliant Energy included in the press release 2013 and 2012 IPL, WPL, Alliant Energy Corporate Services, Inc., utilities and Alliant Energy Corporate Services, Inc., and non-regulated and parent earnings per share from continuing operations. Alliant Energy believes these non-GAAP financial measures are useful to investors because they facilitate an understanding of segment performance and trends and provide additional information about Alliant Energy's operations on a basis consistent with the measures that management uses to manage its operations and evaluate its performance. Alliant Energy's management also uses utility and Alliant Energy Corporate Services, Inc. earnings per share from continuing operations to determine performance-based compensation.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Not applicable.
- (d) Exhibits. The following exhibits are being furnished herewith:
- (99.1) Alliant Energy Corporation press release dated February 25, 2014.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ALLIANT ENERGY CORPORATION

Date: February 25, 2014 By:/s/ Robert J. Durian

Robert J. Durian

Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

Date: February 25, 2014 By:/s/ Robert J. Durian

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Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

WISCONSIN POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

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Exhibit Index to Current Report on Form 8-K Dated February 25, 2014

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(99.1) Alliant Energy Corporation press release dated February 25, 2014.