KRATCHMER JOHN E

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KRATCHMER JOHN E

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALLIANT ENERGY CORP [LNT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

PO BOX 2568

(Last)

(Month/Day/Year)

01/03/2005

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) VP, CONTROLLER

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

Person

MADISON, WI 53701

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

(Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration 7. Title and An Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Derivative Date Underlying Sec Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired

(A) or

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A)

(D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date

DEFERRED

COMMON

\$0 01/03/2005 A 25.75 08/08/1988(1) 08/08/1988(1) COMMON

STOCK

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

10% Owner

Director

Officer

Other

KRATCHMER JOHN E

PO BOX 2568 MADISON, WI 53701

VP. CONTROLLER

Signatures

F. J. Buri as POA for

01/04/2005

**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) Units are to be settled upon reporting person's retirement.

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