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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Forsythe Christopher T			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ATMOS ENERGY CORP [ATO]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (3. Date of Earliest Transaction							
5430 LBJ I	FREEWAY, SUIT		(Month/Day/Year) 11/08/2016				Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President and Controller			
	(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				
DALLAS,	TX 75240						Form filed by Person	More than One	Reporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Aco	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Oate, if Transaction Code (/Year) (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	orm: Beneficial rect (D) Ownership Indirect (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	11/08/2016		M	2,278 (1)	A	\$ 73.29	18,769.7061	D		
Common Stock	11/08/2016		F	806 (2)	D	\$ 73.29	17,963.7061	D		
Common							1 089 9726		By Retirement	

1,089.9726

(3)

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

Savings

Plan and Trust

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Teal)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/		Under	lying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Forsythe Christopher T 5430 LBJ FREEWAY **SUITE 160** DALLAS, TX 75240

Vice President and Controller

Signatures

/s/Suzanne Johnson 11/10/2016 by POA

**Signature of Reporting Date 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).
- (1) Vesting of award of performance based restricted stock units pursuant to the 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan of the Company.
- (2) Shares withheld pursuant to a tax withholding obligation under the 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan of the Company.
- (3) To update end of period holdings as of October 31, 2016 under the Atmos Energy Corporation Retirement Savings Plan and Trust.

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