

CONSOL ENERGY INC

Form 4

February 18, 2005

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HARVEY J BRETT**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**CONSOL PLAZA, 1800  
WASHINGTON ROAD**

(Street)

**PITTSBURGH 15241**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**CONSOL ENERGY INC [CNX]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**02/16/2005**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

President &amp; CEO

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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|--|---|
|                                       |   |   | Code                                    | V   | Amount   | (A)<br>or<br>(D)   | Price   |
| Common<br>Shares                      | 02/16/2005                              |   | M                                       |   | 5,200  | A  | \$<br>43.55   |
| Common<br>Shares                      | 02/16/2005                              |   | S                                       |   | 5,200  | D  | \$<br>43.55   |
| Common<br>Shares                      | 02/16/2005                              |   | M                                       |   | 700  | A  | \$<br>43.54   |
| Common<br>Shares                      | 02/16/2005                              |   | S                                       |   | 700  | D  | \$<br>43.54   |
| Common<br>Shares                      | 02/16/2005                              |   | M                                       |   | 1,700  | A  | \$<br>43.53   |

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|               |            |   |        |   |          |        |   |
|---------------|------------|---|--------|---|----------|--------|---|
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | S | 1,700  | D | \$ 43.53 | 70,273 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | M | 600    | A | \$ 43.52 | 70,873 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | S | 600    | D | \$ 43.52 | 70,273 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | M | 1,000  | A | \$ 43.51 | 71,273 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | S | 1,000  | D | \$ 43.51 | 70,273 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | M | 11,800 | A | \$ 43.5  | 82,073 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | S | 11,800 | D | \$ 43.5  | 70,273 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | M | 700    | A | \$ 43.49 | 70,973 | D |
| Common Shares | 02/16/2005 | S | 700    | D | \$ 43.49 | 70,273 | 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)

| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                              |
| Stock Options                              | \$ 43.49   | 02/16/2005                           |  | M                              | 700   | 10/25/2001 10/25/2011                                    | Common Shares 700   |
| Stock Options                              | \$ 43.48   | 02/16/2005                           |  | M                              | 900   | 10/25/2001 10/25/2011                                    | Common Shares 900   |
| Stock Options                              | \$ 43.47   | 02/16/2005                           |  | M                              | 4,000   | 10/25/2001 10/25/2011                                    | Common Shares 4,000   |

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|               |          |            |   |        |            |            |               |        |
|---------------|----------|------------|---|--------|------------|------------|---------------|--------|
| Stock Options | \$ 43.46 | 02/16/2005 | M | 1,600  | 10/25/2001 | 10/25/2011 | Common Shares | 1,600  |
| Stock Options | \$ 43.45 | 02/16/2005 | M | 16,900 | 10/25/2001 | 10/25/2011 | Common Shares | 16,900 |
| Stock Options | \$ 43.44 | 02/16/2005 | M | 700    | 10/25/2001 | 10/25/2011 | Common Shares | 700    |
| Stock Options | \$ 43.43 | 02/16/2005 | M | 1,000  | 10/25/2001 | 10/25/2011 | Common Shares | 1,000  |
| Stock Options | \$ 43.42 | 02/16/2005 | M | 600    | 10/25/2001 | 10/25/2011 | Common Shares | 600    |
| Stock Options | \$ 43.41 | 02/16/2005 | M | 600    | 10/25/2001 | 10/25/2011 | Common Shares | 600    |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| HARVEY J BRETT<br>CONSOL PLAZA<br>1800 WASHINGTON ROAD<br>PITTSBURGH 15241 | X             |           | President & CEO |       |

## Signatures

J. B. Harvey by P. M. Greene, his attorney-in-fact 02/18/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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### Remarks:

ALL TRANSACTION PURSUANT TO RULE 10(b)-5 TRADING PLAN.

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