

PPL CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Simmons Jerry Matthews JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
TWO N. NINTH STREET  
(Street)

ALLENTOWN, PA 18101

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PPL CORP [PPL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/21/2008

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)  
VP & Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	05/21/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>	3,900 A	\$ 35.12 4,188.161 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>	3,900 D	\$ 51 288.161 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					15.436 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	Held in trust pursuant to the Employee Stock Ownership Plan.

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.12	05/21/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>	3,900	<sup>(3)</sup> 01/24/2017	Common Stock	3,900

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Simmons Jerry Matthews JR TWO N. NINTH STREET ALLENTOWN, PA 18101			VP & Controller	

## Signatures

/s/Frederick C. Paine, as Attorney-In-Fact for Jerry Matthews  
Simmons, Jr. 05/22/2008

\*\*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) This Form 4 report reflects the exercise of stock options and sale of underlying shares pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan, dated February 25, 2008.
- (2) Total includes reinvestment of dividends.
- (3) The total grant of 21,320 options vests in three installments of 7,107 options on 01/25/2008, 7,106 options on 01/25/2009 and 7,107 options on 01/25/2010.

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