

BENKERT JEROME A JR
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BENKERT JEROME A JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 20 N. W. FOURTH STREET
 (Street)

EVANSVILLE, IN 47741

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2004

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)
 Executive Vice President and C

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 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/31/2004		F ⁽¹⁾	2,119 D \$ 0	30,740.958	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2004		A ⁽²⁾	1,028 A \$ 0	31,768.958	D	
Common Stock	01/01/2005		A ⁽³⁾	12,000 A \$ 0	43,768.958	D	
Common Stock					2,125.504	I	401K PLAN

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

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measuring period from January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2007 and continued employment until December 31, 2008. The Compensation and Benefits Committee of the Board of Directors approved the acquisition in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d).

- Stock options granted under the Vectren Corporation (Vectren) At Risk Compensation Plan in a transaction approved by the
- (4) Compensation and Benefits Committee of the Board of Directors and exempt under Rule 16(b)-3. The options vest in three installments on January 1, 2006, January 1, 2007 and January 1, 2008.

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