NRG ENERGY, INC.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Gutierrez Mauricio Issuer Symbol NRG ENERGY, INC. [NRG] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify NRG ENERGY, INC., 211 07/01/2014 below) **CARNEGIE CENTER** Exec VP & Chief Operating Ofc (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting PRINCETON, NJ 08540 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired etion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/01/2014		M <u>(1)</u>	35,100	A	\$ 23.64	200,579	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/01/2014		M <u>(1)</u>	20,300	A	\$ 23.87	220,879	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/01/2014		M <u>(1)</u>	37,800	A	\$ 19.83	258,679	D	

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Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/01/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	93,200	D	\$ 36.65 (2)	165,479	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/01/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	6,918	D	\$ 36.78 (3)	158,561	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 onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ai Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 23.64	07/01/2014		M <u>(1)</u>	35,100	01/02/2010(4)	01/02/2015	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share
Non-Qualifed Stock Options	\$ 23.87	07/01/2014		M <u>(1)</u>	20,300	01/04/2011(5)	01/04/2020	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 19.83	07/01/2014		M(1)	37,800	01/03/2012(6)	01/03/2021	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Gutierrez Mauricio NRG ENERGY, INC. 211 CARNEGIE CENTER PRINCETON, NJ 08540

Exec VP & Chief Operating Ofc

Signatures

/s/ Brian Curci, under Power of Attorney

07/03/2014

**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) The transactions were executed pursuant to a prearranged trading plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$36.36 to \$36.82. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$36.65 to \$37.02. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- Pursuant to the Grant Agreement by and between NRG Energy, Inc. and the reporting person, the Non-Qualified Stock Options vested and became exercisable as follows: 33 1/3% on January 2, 2010, 33 1/3% on January 2, 2011 and 33 1/3% on January 2, 2012.
- Pursuant to the Grant Agreement by and between NRG Energy, Inc. and the reporting person, the Non-Qualified Stock Options vested and became exercisable as follows: 33 1/3% on January 4, 2011, 33 1/3% on January 4, 2012 and 33 1/3% on January 4, 2013.
- Pursuant to the Grant Agreement by and between NRG Energy, Inc. and the reporting person, the Non-Qualified Stock Options vested and became exercisable as follows: 33 1/3% on January 3, 2012, 33 1/3% on January 3, 2013 and 33 1/3% on January 3, 2014.

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