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(Print or Type Respo	nses)								
1. Name and Addres MADDEN TER	Person <sup>*</sup>	Symbol	er Name <b>an</b> ENERGY		-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of	of Earliest T	ransaction	L	(Ch	eck all applicabl	e)
800 NICOLLET MALL			(Month/) 08/16/2	Day/Year) 2005			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP and Controller		
	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>				
MINNEAPOLIS							Person	More than One K	eporting
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	e Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
	ansaction Date hth/Day/Year)	2A. Deema Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) or l of (D)	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)
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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Price
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onof	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Derivati
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Derivative	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Security

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)		8)	Securit Acquin (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	red aed 3, 4,					(Instr. 5
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	08/16/2005		А		16.4		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	16.4	\$ 18.0

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
MADDEN TERESA S 800 NICOLLET MALL MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402	VP and Controller								
Signatures									
Carol J. Peterson, Attorney-in- Madden	08/17/2005								
<u>**</u> Signature of Reportin	g 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) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following termination of reporting person's employment.

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