ELLERBROOK NIEL C

Form 4

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

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1(b).

Common

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Stock

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12/31/2012

12/31/2012

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and ELLERBI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VECTREN CORR INVICE			ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	VECTREN CORP [VVC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			(Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
ONE VECTREN SQUARE, P. O. BOX 209			12/31/2012					ficer (give title		(specify	
(Street) EVANSVILLE, IN 47708			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				
	,						Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Nor	n-Derivative Secur	rities Acqu	uired, Dis	sposed of, or	r Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acq orDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Secu Bene Own Follo Repo	mount of prities eficially ned owing orted asaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

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

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(Instr. 3 and 4)

77,189.2236

13,408.661

or

(D)

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Price

(1)

Amount

63,780.5626

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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)	ransactionDerivative Securities ode Acquired (A) or		Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	12/31/2012		M		63,780.5626	(2)	(2)	Common	63,780

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ELLERBROOK NIEL C ONE VECTREN SQUARE P. O. BOX 209 EVANSVILLE, IN 47708	X						

Signatures

/s/Ronald E.
Christian

**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 stock unit awards vesting in 2012 were settled for cash. Each stock unit award was the economic equivalent of one share of Vectren Corporation common stock.

The lifting of restrictions and the application of forfeiture provisions were dependent upon performance during a measurement period from January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2012 and continued employment until December 31, 2013. In the event of retirement before the end of the Performance Period, the restrictions on the stock unit awards are to be removed upon the expiration of the Performance Period and certification by the Vectren Corporation (Company) Board of Directors Compensation and Benefits Committee (Committee) of the Company's performance. Mr. Ellerbrook retired as the CEO of the Company on May 31, 2010 and, due to retirement, received an

(2) estimated payout upon the vesting of the 2010 stock unit awards on December 31, 2012. The number of stock unit awards Mr. Ellerbrook received represents the net effect of the accumulation of dividends and the performance adjustment based on the award's Performance Criteria. Upon the certification of the performance results by the Committee in February 2013, Mr. Ellerbrook's payout will be reconciled to the extent that there is a variance between the amount paid at the end of 2012 and the final amount certified by the Committee. The stock unit awards were acquired pursuant to the Vectren Corporation At Risk Compensation Plan (Plan) and are subject to forfeiture as provided by the Plan. This grant is exempt under Section 16b-3 and was previously approved by the Committee.

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