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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 CRAWFORD RANDALL L Issuer Symbol **EQUITABLE RESOURCES INC** (Check all applicable) /PA/ [EQT] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 225 NORTH SHORE DRIVE 04/11/2006 President - Equitable Gas Co. (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 PITTSBURGH, PA 15212-5861 Person (City) (State) (Zip)

	(City)	(State) (Z	Table	: I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	saction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities /Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or any Code Disposed of (D)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or			
(Insu. 3)			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 at		<i>'</i>	Owned Following Reported	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
	Common Stock	04/11/2006		A	4,000 (1)	A	\$0	38,994	D		
	Common Stock							6,199	I	Savings Plan	

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

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CRAWFORD RANDALL L 225 NORTH SHORE DRIVE PITTSBURGH, PA 15212-5861

President - Equitable Gas Co.

Signatures

RANDALL L CRAWFORD 04/13/2006

**Signature of Reporting 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) Restricted common stock award which vests completely three years from the date of the transaction.

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