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EQUITABLE RESOURCES INC /PA/ Form 4 April 13, 2006 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 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 JEREMIAH BARABARA S Issuer Symbol EQUITABLE RESOURCES INC (Check all applicable) /PA/ [EQT] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) ALCOA CORPORATE 04/12/2006 CENTER, 201 ISABELLA STREET (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 15212-5858 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 3) any Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially Form: Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 4) or Indirect Following Reported (\mathbf{I}) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Deferred 5,846 Ι Stock Compensation 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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 2. (Instr. 3) Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Underlying S or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Expiration Title Date Exercisable Date Code V (D) (A) Deferred Common (2)(2) **Compensation-Phantom** \$1(1) 2,000 04/12/2006 А Stock Units

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JEREMIAH BARABARA S ALCOA CORPORATE CENTER 201 ISABELLA STREET PITTSBURGH, PA 15212-5858	х			
Signatures				
BARBARA S JEREMIAH 04	04/13/2006			

**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) Convertible on a one-for-one basis into shares of common stock.
- (2) Award represents compensation that is deferred until retirement.

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