KLAPPA GALE E Form 4

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KLAPPA GALE E Issuer Symbol WISCONSIN ENERGY CORP (Check all applicable) [WEC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 231 WEST MICHIGAN STREET 03/08/2011 Chairman, President, and CEO (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 MILWAUKEE,, WI 53203 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Acqui	ired, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	<b>Owned</b>
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit our Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` '	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)
Common Stock	03/08/2011		M	50,000	A	\$ 16.7175	153,977.3722 (1)	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2011		S	50,000 (2)	D	\$ 30.7	103,977.3722 (1) (3)	D	
Common Stock							2,777.373 <u>(3)</u> <u>(4)</u>	I	ERSP

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		Derivative Expiration Date ecurities (Month/Day/Year) acquired (A) r Disposed of D)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.7175 (5)	03/08/2011		M	50,000	12/31/2004(6)	01/02/2014	Common Stock	50,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KLAPPA GALE E			Chairman,	
231 WEST MICHIGAN STREET	X		President, and	
MILWAUKEE,, WI 53203			CEO	

# **Signatures**

\s\Joshua M. Erickson, as
Attorney-in-Fact
03/10/2011

\*\*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) Includes shares acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of Wisconsin Energy Corporation's Stock Plus Investment Plan in transactions exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rule 16a-11.
- (2) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 30, 2010.
- On March 1, 2011, the common stock of Wisconsin Energry Corporation split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 51,988.6861 additional shares of directly held common stock and 1,388.03 additional shares of common stock indirectly held in Wisconsin Energy Corporation's Employee Retirement Savings Plan (ERSP).
- Includes shares acquired under the ERSP in transactions exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c) and exempt from reporting (4) pursuant to Rule 16a-3(f)(1)(i)(B). The number of shares in the ERSP attributable to any one participant varies with the price of the Common Stock. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of March 2, 2011.
- (5) This option was previously reported as covering 172,010 remaining shares at an exercise price of \$33.435 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that occurred on March 1, 2011.

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By action of the Compensation Committee on December 28, 2004, all options granted to employees of the Issuer, including the reporting person, in 2002, 2003 and 2004, and not otherwise exercisable, became exercisable as of December 31, 2004.

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