

VAJDA DAVID J  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
VAJDA DAVID J

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
801 E 86TH AVENUE  
(Street)

MERRILLVILLE, IN 46410-6272

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NISOURCE INC/DE [NI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/28/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Vice President and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	01/28/2005		D	990 D \$ 0	46,064	D	
Common Stock	01/28/2005		S	365 D \$ 22.645	45,699	D	
Common Stock					2,250.2797	I	401(k) Plan
Common Stock					1,283.2177	I	401(k) Plan held by spouse

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 (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)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 16.2188					08/21/1996 08/21/2005	Common Stock	5,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 18.4375					01/30/2001 01/30/2010	Common Stock	4,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 18.9063					08/26/1997 08/26/2006	Common Stock	6,300
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 19.84					12/31/2002 12/31/2012	Common Stock	16,225
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 20.6407					08/25/1998 08/25/2007	Common Stock	6,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 21.005					01/24/2003 01/24/2012	Common Stock	7,135
Non Qualified	\$ 21.86					01/01/2005 01/01/2014	Common Stock	18,855

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Stock Options						
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 22.22		08/21/2001	08/21/2010	Common Stock	4,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 22.62		01/03/2006	01/03/2015	Common Stock	46,286
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 24.5938		08/23/2000	08/23/2009	Common Stock	6,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 25.94		12/31/2001	12/31/2010	Common Stock	5,896
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 29.2188		08/24/1999	08/24/2008	Common Stock	6,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 21.005		01/24/2003	01/24/2012	Common Stock	1,500
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 21.795		01/23/2005	01/23/2014	Common Stock	2,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 22.22		08/21/2001	08/21/2010	Common Stock	2,000
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 22.62		01/03/2006	01/03/2015	Common Stock	2,250
Non Qualified Stock Options	\$ 23.725		05/20/2003	05/20/2012	Common Stock	1,500
Non Qualified Stock	\$ 24.5938		08/23/2000	08/23/2009	Common Stock	1,500

