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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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(Last) (First) (Middle)

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(Street)

BOSTON, MA 02110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Rice Energy Inc. [RICE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/28/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/28/2016		G ⁽¹⁾	V	10,800,000	D	\$ 0	19,000,000	I ⁽²⁾	By self, as Trustee of the Rice Energy Irrevocable Trust ⁽³⁾
Common Stock	12/29/2016		G ⁽¹⁾	V	19,000,000	D	\$ 0	0	I ⁽²⁾	By self, as Trustee of the Rice Energy Irrevocable Trust ⁽³⁾

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