

TORTOISE ENERGY CAPITAL CORP  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 TORTOISE ENERGY CAPITAL CORP [TYY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 BANK OF AMERICA  
 CORPORATE CENTER, 100 N  
 TRYON ST

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/17/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 \_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

(Street)  
 CHARLOTTE, NC 28255

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	07/17/2009	07/17/2009	P		320	A \$ 18.8601	22,970	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	07/17/2009	07/17/2009	S		320	D \$ 18.9782	22,650	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	07/30/2009	07/30/2009	P		790	A \$ 20.3561	22,440	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	07/31/2009	07/31/2009	S		790	D \$ 20.3221	22,650	I	By Subsidiary
	08/05/2009	08/05/2009	P		300	A \$ 20.26	22,950	I	

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Common Stock									By Subsidiary
Common Stock	08/06/2009	08/06/2009	S	300	D	\$ 19.7386	22,650	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	08/05/2009	08/05/2009	P	1,100	A	\$ 20.2523	23,750	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	08/06/2009	08/06/2009	S	1,100	D	\$ 19.7244	22,650	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	08/13/2009	08/13/2009	P	350	A	\$ 20.7656	23,000	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	08/31/2009	08/31/2009	S	350	D	\$ 17.9736	22,650	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	09/01/2009	09/01/2009	P	100	A	\$ 17.8728	22,750	I	By Subsidiary
Common Stock	09/01/2009	09/01/2009	S	100	D	\$ 17.9356	22,650	I	By Subsidiary

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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/  
BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATE CENTER  
100 N TRYON ST  
CHARLOTTE, NC 28255

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MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INC.  
4 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER  
NORTH TOWER  
NEW YORK, NY 10080

X

## Signatures

Bank of America Corporation, By:/s/Angelina L. Richardson, Vice President  
Date: 09/29/2009

Signature of Reporting Person

Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, By:/s/Robert M. Shine,  
Attorney-In-Fact  
Date: 09/29/2009

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).

### Remarks:

The transactions reported on this Form 4 were affected by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, an indirect, wh

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