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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

may continue. 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 KLESSE WILLIAM R Issuer Symbol VALERO ENERGY CORP/TX (Check all applicable) [VLO] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) P.O. BOX 696000 03/10/2008 COB 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 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78269-6000 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - N	lon-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or on Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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, \$.01 par value	03/07/2008		Code		Amount 1,400	(D)	Price	612,129	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	03/07/2008		G	V	18,550	D	\$ 0	593,579	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	03/10/2008		M		100,000	A	\$ 7.515	693,579	D	

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Common

Stock, \$.01 par 03/10/2008 S 100,000 D \$ 52.3219 593,579 (1) D

value

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)	Secur Secur Acqu Dispo		6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	3 E		
				Code V	5) (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 7.515	03/10/2008		M		100,000	09/18/2003	09/18/2012	Common Stock	100,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KLESSE WILLIAM R							
P.O. BOX 696000	X		COB and CEO				
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78269-6000							

Signatures

buy)

J. Stephen Gilbert, as Attorney-in-Fact for William R.
Klesse
03/12/2008

**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) The 593,579 amount does not include 23,334.0249 shares indirectly owned by the reporting person in a thrift plan.

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