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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hardesty David C Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

CONSOL Energy Inc [CNX]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(First) 1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

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

09/29/2014

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CANONSBURG, PA 15317

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
		or	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)						
Common shares, \$0.01 par value per share	09/29/2014		M	1,704	A	\$ 34.81	27,714	D	
Common shares, \$0.01 par value per share	09/29/2014		F	1,584 (1)	D	\$ 37.46	26,130 (2)	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.81	09/29/2014		M	1,704	(3)	10/19/2015	Common shares, \$0.01 par value per share	1,704

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hardesty David C Jr 1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE X CANONSBURG, PA 15317

Signatures

/s/ David C. Hardesty, Jr., by Stephanie L. Gill, his attorney-in-fact

10/01/2014

**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) Represents shares withheld to pay the exercise price of the stock option in connection with the exercise of the option.
- (2) Of the 26,130 shares owned directly, 23,934 are restricted stock units and deferred shares (including dividend equivalent rights).
- (3) Stock option grant provides that options will vest 33% per year beginning October 19, 2006.

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