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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * King Robert Paul

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CONSOL Energy Inc [CNX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/16/2011

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify

below) EVP - Bus. Advmt & Support Svs

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

CANONSBURG, PA 15317

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities 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)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common shares, \$0.01 par value per share	02/16/2011		F	297 <u>(1)</u>			14,689	D	
Common shares, \$0.01 par value per share	02/17/2011		F	450 (1)	D	\$ 46.79	14,239 (2)	D	
Common shares,							7,813	I	By 401 (k) Plan

\$0.01 par value per share

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	and 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

King Robert Paul 1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE CANONSBURG, PA 15317

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Signatures

/s/ Robert P. King by Stephanie Gill, his attorney-in-fact

02/18/2011

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Represents shares withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability resulting from the vesting of restricted stock units previously **(1)** granted to him.
- (2) Of the 14,239 shares owned directly, 4,449 are restricted stock units including dividend equivalent rights.

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