ACKERMAN PHILIP C

Form 4

October 05, 2010

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

NATIONAL FUEL GAS CO [NFG]

Symbol

OMB Number:

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

3235-0287

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See Instruction

(Middle)

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

·			h/Day/Year) 1/2010				_X_ Director Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify
			endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
WILLIAM	SVILLE, NY 142	21					Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	porting
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed 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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	10/01/2010		A	400	A	\$ 52.125	818,766	D	
Common Stock							18,758	I	401(k) Trust
Common Stock							22,727	I	ESOP Trust
Common Stock							76,250	I	By Trust
Common Stock							1,000	I	Wife, Trust for Mother

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

 Title of 	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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	Security				Acquired]
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date	11110	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ACKERMAN PHILIP C 6363 MAIN STREET X WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221

Signatures

James R. Peterson, Attorney in Fact 10/05/2010

**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) Acquired through quarterly grant under the National Fuel Gas Company Retainer Policy for Non-Employee Directors and the National Fuel Gas Company 2009 Non-Employee Director Equity Compensation Plan.

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