#### BENNETT MICHAEL L

Form 4

November 19, 2004

### FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BENNETT MICHAEL L			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol				'5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ALLIANT ENERGY CORP [LNT]				LNT]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of		nsaction						
PO BOX 2568			(Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2004				_	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Ap	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MADISON,	P				Per	_ Form filed by More than One Reporting erson					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acquir	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution any	emed ion Date, if //Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Oner Dispo (Instr. 3,	(A) or (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)	
DRIP	11/18/2004			J <u>(1)</u>	2.843	A	<sup>‡</sup> 27.1898	297.3299	D		
COMMON								100	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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable	e and Expiration	7. Title and
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		onDerivative	Date		Underlying
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or			
	Derivative				Disposed of (D)			
	Security				(Instr. 3, 4, and			
					5)			
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
				Code V	(A) (D)		•	
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COMMON	\$ 0	11/18/2004		$J_{(2)}$	13.9338	08/08/1988 <u>(3)</u>	08/08/1988(3)	COMMC
STOCK								

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships					
10% Owner	Officer	Other			
		10% Owner Officer			

### **Signatures**

F. J. Buri as
POA for

\*\*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 reporting person acquired 2.8430 shares under the company's dividend reinvestment plan, pursuant to a dividend reinvestment transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-11.
- The reporting person acquired 13.9338 shares under the company's dividend reinvestment plan, pursuant to a dividend reinvestment transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-11.
- (3) Units are to be settled upon reporting person's retirement.

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