#### PNM RESOURCES INC

Form 4

March 07, 2014

# 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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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Eldred Charles N			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PNM RESOURCES INC [PNM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
CORPORATE HEADQUARTERS, MS 1275			03/05/2014	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87158-1275			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reportin Person			

(City)	(State)	${\bf (Zip)} \qquad \qquad {\bf Table~I-Non-Derivative~Securities~Acquired, Disposed~of, or~Beneficially~Owned}$									
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. Securities oner Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 a	of (D and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock (1)	03/05/2014		M	7,751	A	\$ 26.21 (1)	65,151	D			
Common Stock (2)	03/05/2014		F	3,631.43	D	\$ 26.21	61,519.57	D			
Common Stock (3)	03/05/2014		A	17,544	A	\$ 26.21 (3)	79,064	D			
Common Stock (4)	03/05/2014		F	8,219.57	D	\$ 26.21	70,844	D			
	03/06/2014		M	1,816	A		72,660	D			

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Common Stock (2)					\$ 26.12 (1)			
Common Stock (4)	03/06/2014	F	851	D	\$ 26.12	71,809	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2014	M	26,666	A	\$ 7.98	98,475	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2014	S	26,666	D	\$ 26.65	71,809	D	
Common Stock						1,040 (5)	I	PNMR Common Stock Fund - PNM Resources, Inc. 401(k) Plan
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.								

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 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 of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. I De Sec (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	<u>(6)</u>	03/05/2014		M	26,666	<u>(7)</u>	(8)	Common Stock	26,666	
Phantom Stock Shares	<u>(9)</u>					(10)	(10)	Common Stock	6,337	

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Restricted

Stock (12) 03/05/2014 A 0 (13) Common Stock 4,807

Rights

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Eldred Charles N

CORPORATE HEADQUARTERS
MS 1275
EXEC VP, CFO

ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87158-1275

## **Signatures**

Jim Acosta, POA for Charles N.
Eldred
03/07/2014

\*\*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 the portion of previous awards of restricted stock rights that vested effective as of March 5 and 6, 2014.

Represents shares withheld by PNM Resources, Inc. to satisfy the tax withholding obligations arising in connection with the vesting of the restricted stock rights referenced in (1) above. The company utilizes a modified "share withholding" approach in connection with

- settling awards of restricted stock rights upon vesting, in which it (i) withholds (in cash) the amount required to satisfy the tax withholding obligations and remits such amount to the relevant tax authorities, and (ii) directs a designated broker to purchase on the open market the number of shares of the company's common stock that can be acquired with the after-tax value of the vested restricted stock rights award at the prevailing market price. Only these "net shares" are delivered to the recipient of the award.
- (3) The performance shares were earned as of December 31, 2013, as determined effective February 27, 2014.

Represents shares withheld by PNM Resources, Inc. to satisfy the tax withholding obligations arising in connection with the settlement of the performance share award described in (2) above. The company utilizes a modified "share withholding" approach in connection

- with settling awards of performance shares, in which it (i) withholds (in cash) the amount required to satisfy the tax withholding obligations and remits such amount to the relevant tax authorities, and (ii) directs a designated broker to purchase on the open market the number of shares of the company's common stock that can be acquired with the after-tax value of the performance share award at the prevailing market price. Only these "net shares" are delivered to the recipient of the performance share award.
- (5) Total represents shares of PNM Resources, Inc. Common Stock acquired under the PNM Resources, Inc. 401(k) Plan as of February 28, 2014.
- (6) Based on the closing price on the date of the grant.
- (7) The options vest in three equal annual installments from grant date.
- (8) The options expire 10 years from grant date.
- (9) The security converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (10) The phantom stock shares were acquired under the PNM Resources, Inc. Executive Savings Plan, and will settle upon the Reporting Person's retirement or other termination of service.
- (11) Total represents phantom stock shares of PNM Resources, Inc. acquired under the PNM Resources, Inc. Executive Savings Plan II as of February 28, 2014.
- (12) Each restricted stock right represents a contingent right to receive one share of PNM Resources, Inc. common stock.

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The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments, beginning on March 5, 2015. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the applicable vesting dates (or, if the company is in a blackout period under its insider trading policy on any vesting date, at a later date after such blackout period ends).

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