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subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.			OMB Number: 3235-0287						
See Instruction 1(b).	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP						Expires: December 31, 2001		
	Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940						burden hours per response		
Name and Address of Report Mikulsky, Phillip Michael	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WPS Resources Corporation		4. Statement for (Month/Year) November 2002		6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) (First)	WPS Resources Corporation WPS		November 2002		(Check all applicable)				
700 North Adams Street P. O. Box 19001	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)		Owner X Officer Other Officer/Other Description Development Director 10% Senior Vice President -				
(Street) Green Bay, WI 54307-9001									
(City) (State)					7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Individual Filing				
Table I - Non-Derivative Se	curities Acquired. Di	sposed of, or I	Beneficially Owner	 		Joint/Group Fi			
1. Title of Security 2. T	ransaction Date Month/Day/Year) 3	Transaction Code and Voluntary Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acqu Disposed (D) Of (Instr. 3, 4, and Amount Price	ired (A) or 55)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock					4,247.405	54 I	By ESOP		

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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)		of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	of	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr.4)	10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4)
Phantom Stock Unit	1-for-1	11/01/2002	A (1)	(A) 41.2726	Varies (2)	Common Stock - 41.2726	\$38.9200	14,598.0004	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$29.8750				02/11/2000 (3)	Common Stock - 34,000.0000		34,000.0000	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$34.7500				12/14/2001 (4) 12/14/2010	Common Stock - 21,392.0000		21,392.0000	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$34.0900				12/13/2002 (5) 12/13/2011	Common Stock - 31,462.0000		31,462.0000	D	
Performance Rights	1-for-1				Varies (6)	Common Stock - 7,967.0000		7,967.0000	D	

Explanation of Responses :

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Barth J. Wolf (See POA filed August 2002) Phillip Michael Mikulsky

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FOOTNOTE Descriptions for WPS Resources Corporation WPS

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Explanation of responses:

- (1) Award of phantom stock units under WPS Resources Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (2) Unless the participant has selected a later commencement date, distribution of stock and equivalents will commence within 60 days following the end of the calendar year in which occurs the participant's retirement or termination as director.

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