FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  KING CHARLES L							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Evergy, Inc. [ EVRG ]									icable) or	ng Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify		wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O EVERGY, INC. 1200 MAIN STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2020									X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP & CHIEF TECHNOLOGY OFFICER					
(Street) KANSAS CITY MO 64105  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			A) or s, 4 and	Benefic Owned	ies ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	nt (A) or (D)		Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 03/02/2							2020				3,716	3,716(1)		\$0	8	8,764		D		
Common Stock 03/02/2									F		1,011	(2)	D	\$65.3	35 7	753 D		D		
Common Stock 03/02/2									F		346	3)	D	\$65.3	35 7	7,407		D		
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		n of E		6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	Date	Amount Securiti Underly		nt of ties ying tive Security		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Ownership Form:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu of	nount mber ares						
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	03/03/2020			A		971		(5)		(5)	Commo Stock	n 9	71	\$0	7,359		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Award of common stock in settlement of performance share grants under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- $2. \ Relinquished to the Company for withholding taxes incident to settlement of performance share grants under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan on March 2, 2020.\\$
- $3.\ Relinquished to the \ Company \ for \ withholding \ taxes \ incident \ to \ the \ vesting \ of \ restricted \ stock \ on \ March \ 2, \ 2020.$
- 4. A restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Evergy, Inc. common stock.
- 5. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock. Of the total restricted stock units reported, and subject to, in general, continued employment: (i) 3,964 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on June 5, 2020; (ii) 1,020 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on March 1, 2022; (iii) 1,170 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on November 1, 2022; and (iv) 971 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on March 3, 2023.

Executed on behalf of Charles
L. King by Jeffrey C. DeBruin, 03/04/2020
attorney-in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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