FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1 I. Marile and Address of Reporting Leson		Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INC</u> [GXP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner							
(Last) 1201 WALNUT	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2005	Officer (give title X Other (specify below) Eormer Vice President							
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
KANSAS CITY	MO	64106		X Form filed by One Reporting Person							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	-	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾								0	I	401-k
Common Stock								2,831	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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D)	erivative (Month/Day/Year) ecurities cquired A) or isposed f (D) nstr. 3, 4		7. Title Amour Securi Under Deriva Securi and 4)	nt of ties lying tive ty (Instr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reported holdings reflect the effects of a post-termination transaction that did not occur within six months of a non-exempt, pre-termination opposite way transaction. **Remarks:**

> Executed on behalf of Brenda Nolte by Mark G. English, 08/05/2005 Attorney-in-Fact (see attached Exhibit 24)

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That the undersigned, Brenda Nolte, does hereby constitute and appoint Michael J. Chesser, Jeanie S. Latz or Mark G. English, his/her true and lawful attorney and agent, with full power and authority to execute in the name and on behalf of the undersigned individual a Report on Form 4 or Form 5 and all amendments thereto; hereby granting unto such attorney and agent full power of substitution and revocation in the premises; and hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney and agent may do or cause to be done by virtue of these presents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of August 2005.

<u>/s/Brenda Nolte</u> Signature Name Printed: Brenda Nolte

STATE OF MISSOURI)) ss COUNTY OF JACKSON)

On this 5th day of August 2005, before me the undersigned, a Notary Public, personally appeared Brenda Nolte, to be known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who, being by me first duly sworn, acknowledged that she executed the same as her free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed by official seal the day and year last above written.

<u>/s/Jacquetta L. Hartman</u> Notary Public

Ray County, Missouri

My Commission Expires:

April 8, 2008