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# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup><br>CHESSER MICHAEL J |         |                              | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INC [ GXP ] |          | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable) |                       |  |  |  |
|---|---------|------------------------------|--|----------|--|-----------------------|--|--|--|
|   |         |                              |  | X        | Director   | 10% Owner             |  |  |  |
|   |         | (Middle)<br>RGY INCORPORATED | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>04/02/2013                 |          | Officer (give title<br>below)  | Other (specify below) |  |  |  |
| 1200 MAIN STREET  |         |                              | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                       | 6. Indiv | ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabl                             |                       |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>KANSAS CI   |         | 64105                        |  | X        | Form filed by One Re<br>Form filed by More th<br>Person                    |                       |  |  |  |
| (City)  | (State) | (Zip)                        |  |          |  |                       |  |  |  |

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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|--|--|---|------------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------|---|---|---|----------|
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)        | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |  |                      |               | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |          |
|  |  |   | Code V                       |  | Amount               | (A) or<br>(D) | Price   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                                |   | (1150.4) |
| Common Stock                           | 04/02/2013                                 |   | S                            |  | 3,100 <sup>(1)</sup> | D             | \$23.1  | 177,383   | D   |          |
| Common Stock                           | 04/03/2013                                 |   | S                            |  | 3,100 <sup>(1)</sup> | D             | \$22.79   | 174,283   | D   |          |
| Common Stock                           |  |   |                              |  |                      |               |   | 3,079   | I   | 401(k)   |

### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

|   |   |  | ( ),1   |                              |   |  |   | • *  |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 5. Nu<br>of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) of<br>Dispo<br>of (D)<br>(Instr<br>and 5 | ative<br>rities<br>ired<br>osed<br>. 3, 4 | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | 7. Title<br>Amour<br>Securi<br>Under<br>Deriva<br>Securi<br>and 4) | nt of<br>ties<br>lying<br>tive<br>ty (Instr. 3 | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)  | (D)                                       | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date   | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |  |  |  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan adopted by the reporting person on September 4, 2012.

Executed on behalf of Michael J. Chesser by Jaileah X. 04/04/2013 Huddleston, attorney-in-fact

\*\* 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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