FORM 4

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Malik Shahid | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INC [GXP] | | | | | | | | Check | tionship of Reporting I all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) Pres & CEO of S | | 10% | | Issuer Owner (specify | | |
|---|--|--|------------------------|--|---|--|---|---|------|--|--------|--------------|---------------|--|---|------------------------------------|---|--|---|----------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) TWO GATEWAY CENTER 9TH FLOOR | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2007 | | | | | | | | | | | X | f SEL | below) | | |
| (Street) PITTSBU (City) | JRG PA | | 15222 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | . Indiv ine) X | <i>'</i> | | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | Execution Dat | | Date, | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5) | | | | 4 and Se Be Ov | | ecurities eneficially | | 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) | | | | (1130.4) |
| Common Stock 02/0 | | | | 02/01 | 01/2007 | | | | F | | 1,969 | | D | \$31.51 | | 26,915 ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ | | | 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) | rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code | | Transa Code (8) | saction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title | | ount mber | t r | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | F D O (I | .0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Amount includes/reflects 14,986 restricted shares
- 2. Amount includes 373 shares acquired from November 14, 2006 through February 1, 2007 from automatic reinvestment of quarterly dividends through participation in the Company's Dividend Reinvestment and Direct Stock Purchase Plan.

Remarks:

Executed on behalf of Shahid Malik by Mark G. English,

02/02/2007

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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That the undersigned, Shahid Malik, does hereby constitute and appoint Barbara B. Curry 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 3, 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 2nd day of February 2007.

| Ву | : /s/ Shahid Malik | | | | | | | |
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| | Signature Name Printed: Shahid Malik | | | | | | | |
| TATE OF MISSOURI | |) | | | | | | |
| OUNTY OF JACKSON | |) ss) | | | | | | |

On this 2nd day of February 2007, before me the undersigned, a Notary Public, personally appeared Shahid Malik, 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 he executed the same as his free act and deed.

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

By: /s/ Renee Ray

Notary Public
Jackson County, Missouri

My Commission Expires:

August 30, 2010