LYONS WILLIAM J

Form 4

Common shares.

\$0.01 value per share Common shares,

November 29, 2011

#### **OMB APPROVAL** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LYONS WILLIAM J Issuer Symbol CONSOL Energy Inc [CNX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify 1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE 11/25/2011 below) Exec. VP & C.F.O. (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting CANONSBURG, PA 15317 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

165 <sup>(1)</sup> A

Α

\$0

94,988 (2)

 $9,730^{(3)}$ 

D

Ι

\$0.01 value per share

11/25/2011

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

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By 401(k)

Plan

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

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#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LYONS WILLIAM J 1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE CANONSBURG, PA 15317

Exec. VP & C.F.O.

### **Signatures**

/s/ William J. Lyons by Stephanie L. Gill, his attorney-in-fact

11/29/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Represents dividend equivalent rights earned under the Equity Incentive Plan as part of a grant of restricted stock units.
- (2) Of the 94,988 shares owned directly, 47,527 are restricted stock units and deferred shares (including dividend equivalent rights).
- (3) This number includes 39 shares acquired by the reporting person's 401(k) account since August 22, 2011.

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