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if no lon subject t Section Form 4 Form 5	so STATE 16. or	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,								
obligatio may con <i>See</i> Instr 1(b).	ons Section 17	of 1935 or Secti 940								
(Print or Type	Responses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> MADDEN TERESA S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol XCEL ENERGY INC [XEL]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)						(Che	heck all applicable)		
800 NICOLLET MALL			(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2005			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP and Controller				
(Street) 4. If Amendment, I Filed(Month/Day/Ye					r) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by			pint/Group Filing(Check		
MINNEAP	OLIS, MN 55402	2					Person	More than One R	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-J	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemee Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securit mAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Reminder: Re	port on a separate lin	e tor each cla	ss of sec	urities bene	Perso inforn requir	ns who res nation cont red to respo	or indirectly. spond to the colle ained in this forn ond unless the fo ntly valid OMB co	n are not rm	SEC 1474 (9-02)	

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

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Pric
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriva
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Securi

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Instr.		
			Code V	(A)	(D) Date Exercisab	Expiration le Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	12/15/2005	А	16.24	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	16.24	\$ 18

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MADDEN TERESA S 800 NICOLLET MALL MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402			VP and Controller					
Signatures								
Carol J. Peterson, Attorney-in- Madden	Fact for T	eresa S.	12/19/2005					

**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) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following termination of reporting person's employment.

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