

JOHNS CHRISTOPHER P
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
JOHNS CHRISTOPHER P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PG&E CORP [PCG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/05/2004

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
SVP and Controller

PG&E CORPORATION, ONE MARKET, SPEAR TOWER, SUITE 2400

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | | | | (A) Code V Amount (D) Price | 23,194 ⁽¹⁾ | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,628.08 ⁽²⁾ | I | Held by Trustee of PG&E Corporation Retirement Savings Plan |

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Phantom Stock | (3) | 11/05/2004 | | I | 3,012.68 (4) | (5) | (5) | Common Stock | 3,012.68 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| JOHNS CHRISTOPHER P PG&E CORPORATION ONE MARKET, SPEAR TOWER, SUITE 2400 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105 | | | SVP and Controller | |

Signatures

Eric Montizambert, Attorney-in-Fact for Christopher P. Johns (signed Power of Attorney on file with SEC) 11/08/2004

__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) Includes 2,724 Special Incentive Stock Ownership Premiums (SISOPs) (phantom stock) awarded pursuant to PG&E Corporation Executive Stock Ownership Program.
Represents the approximate number of shares of PG&E Corporation common stock held for the reporting person in the PG&E Corporation Retirement Savings Plan (RSP). That fund holds units consisting of PG&E Corporation common stock and a small short-term investments component. The number of shares is computed by dividing the value of the units by the daily closing price. Dividends are automatically invested in additional units at the election of the participant. Holdings have been trued up to conform to RSP balance at July 9, 2004.
- (3) 1 for 1
- (4) Intraplan transfer of shares into the PG&E Corporation Phantom Stock Fund of the PG&E Corporation Supplemental Retirement Savings Plan (SRSP).
- (5)

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Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following termination of the reporting person's employment and are subject to earlier distribution or transfer in accordance with the SRSP.

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