Santoroski Richard Form 4 March 03, 2009

FORM 4

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1(b).

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(State)

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Santoroski Richard			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
			AES CORP [AES]			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
4300 WILSON BOULEVARD		EVARD	(Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2009	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specif below) below) Vice President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
ARLINGTON, VA 22203			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)		Securities For	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(Instr. 3)		any				(D) or	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock					5,725	D	
Common Stock					18,374 (1)	I	By 401(k) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Units	(2)	01/31/2009	(2)	A	57	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	57	\$ 7.91
Units	(3)	02/28/2009	(3)	A	71	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	71	\$ 6.3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Santoroski Richard 4300 WILSON BOULEVARD ARLINGTON, VA 22203			Vice President				

Signatures

/s/ Richard
Santoroski

**Signature of Reporting Person

O3/03/2009

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) Based upon the latest plan statement dated 02/27/2009, Mr. Santoroski does not report any change in ownership for shares he holds in The AES Retirement Savings Plan.
 - These shares are awarded pursuant to the Restoration Supplemental Retirement Plan (the "Plan"). The reporting person has elected to defer receipt of compensation otherwise payable to him in the form of stock units, the basis of which is determined to be the Company's
- (2) closing stock price on the last day of each month. The Plan allows for distribution upon a date(s)specified by the participant in the event of the participant's unforeseeable emergency, death or termination of employment. This amount represents the reporting person's January 2009 deferral.
- (3) These shares are awarded pursuant to the Restoration Supplemental Retirement Plan (the "Plan"). The reporting person has elected to defer receipt of compensation otherwise payable to him in the form of stock units, the basis of which is determined to be the Company's closing stock price on the last day of each month. The Plan allows for distribution upon a date(s)specified by the participant in the event

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of the participant's unforeseeable emergency, death or termination of employment. This amount represents the reporting person's February 2009 deferral.

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