Williams Frederica M Form 4 January 16, 2019

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Williams Frederica M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**EVERSOURCE ENERGY [ES]** 

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Director

Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/15/2019

(Check all applicable) 10% Owner

C/O EVERSOURCE ENERGY, 300

(First)

\_X\_ Other (specify Officer (give title below) below) Trustee

**CADWELL DRIVE** 

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SPRINGFIELD, MA 01104

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) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

value

(City)

Shares. \$5.00 par

01/15/2019

2.085 Α

\$0 19,326 <sup>(2)</sup> D

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. iorNumber	6. Date Exer		7. Title and A		8. Price of Derivative
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	S		Underlying S (Instr. 3 and		Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Shares	(3)					(3)	(3)	Common Shares, \$5.00 par value	1,267 (3)	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director 10% Owner Office		Officer	Other			
Williams Frederica M							
C/O EVERSOURCE ENERGY 300 CADWELL DRIVE				Trustee			
SPRINGFIELD, MA 01104							

### **Signatures**

/s/ Kerry J. Tomasevich, attorney-in-fact for Ms.
Williams

01/16/2019

\*\*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).
- Restricted share units that vest on January 16, 2019. The reporting person elected to receive 50% of the underlying common shares (1,402 (1) shares). Receipt of the remaining common shares has been deferred. Distribution of the deferred common shares will be made on the 10th business day of January of the year following the reporting person's retirement from the Board.
- (2) Includes restricted share units and dividend equivalents thereon.
- Reporting Person's deferred compensation under the Eversource Deferred Compensation Plan, a non-qualified deferred compensation plan, that is nominally invested as common shares. Each phantom share represents the right to receive one Eversource Energy common share upon a distribution event, following vesting. Additional phantom shares are issued upon the automatic reinvestment of dividend-equivalents exempt from line item reporting under SEC Rule 16a-11.

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