KRATCHMER JOHN E

Form 4

November 17, 2005

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KRATCHMER JOHN E	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLIANT ENERGY CORP [LNT]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) PO BOX 2568	3. Date of Earlies (Month/Day/Yea 11/16/2005		Director	10% Owner Other (specify		
(Street) MADISON, WI 53701	4. If Amendment Filed(Month/Day/	,	6. Individual or Joint/Gro Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More that Person	oorting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - No	on-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Be	eneficially Owned		
a (2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acc Transaction Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5 (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D)	D) Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature Ownership Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
COMMON (RESTRICTED) 11/16/2005		J <u>(1)</u> 13.9827 A	\$ 1,465.2997 27.21	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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable	and Expiration	7. Title and
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	nDerivative	Date		Underlying
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or			
	Derivative				Disposed of (D)			
	Security				(Instr. 3, 4, and			
					5)			
				C = V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
				Code V	(A) (D)			
DEFERRED								
COMMON	\$ 0	11/16/2005		J(2)	58.2733	08/08/1988(3)	08/08/1988(3)	COMMO
	ΨΟ	11/10/2003		<u>, </u>	30.2733	00/00/1700 <u>~</u>	00/00/1700 <u>~</u>	COMMO
STOCK								

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

> > VP,

KRATCHMER JOHN E PO BOX 2568 MADISON, WI 53701

CONTROLLER

Signatures

F. J. Buri as 11/17/2005 POA for

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- The reporting person acquired 13.9827 shares under the company's dividend reinvestment plan, pursuant to a dividend reinvestment (1) transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-11.
- The reporting person acquired 58.2733 shares under the company's dividend reinvestment plan, pursuant to a dividend reinvestment **(2)** transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-11.
- (3) Units are to be settled upon reporting person's retirement.

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