ALLIANT ENERGY CORP

Form 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

See Instruction

KRATCHMER JOHN E				Symbol						Issuer			
				ALLIANT ENERGY CORP [LNT]					NT]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Mic	ddle)	3. Date of l	Earliest 7	Γrai	nsaction			(Check an applicable)			
				(Month/Da	y/Year)				_	Director		Owner	
PO BOX 2568			08/04/2006						X Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
									, o		ONTROLLER		
	(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
				Filed(Month/Day/Year)						Applicable Line)			
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MADISON, WI 53701									P	Person			
(City)	(State)	(Z	ip)	Table	I - Non-	De	rivative Se	curiti	es Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction				3.		4. Securit			5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			on Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)						Securities	Ownership Form:	Indirect Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)			any (Month	/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8)))	Beneficially Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership	
				,		- /				Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)	
								(A)		Reported	(I)		
								or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(======================================			
COMMON	08/04/2006				M		10,726	A	\$ 27.79	13,378	D		
COMMON	08/04/2006				S		10,726	D	\$ 35.69	2,652	D		
COMMON	08/04/2006				M		6,613	A	\$ 24.9	9,265	D		
COMMON	08/04/2006				S		6,613	D	\$ 35.69	2,652	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 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 orDerivative 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	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
EMP. STOCK OPTION (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.9	08/04/2006		M	6,613	01/02/2006	01/02/2014	COMMON	6,613
EMP. STOCK OPTION (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.79	08/04/2006		M	10,726	05/16/2005	05/16/2012	COMMON	10,72

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
·k··· g···· ··· ··· ··· ··· ···	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KRATCHMER JOHN E PO BOX 2568 MADISON, WI 53701			VP, CONTROLLER				

Signatures

F. J. Buri as
POA for

**Signature of Reporting Person

O8/08/2006

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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