#### NELSON GREGORY L

Form 4

February 29, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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may continue.

See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** NELSON GREGORY L			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMEREN CORP [AEE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
P.O. BOX 66149			(Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2012	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Sr VP, GC & Secretary			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reportin Person			

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value							120	I	By 401(K)
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	02/28/2012		F	1,594 (1)	D	\$ 31.97	8,342	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	02/28/2012		M	1,766	A	\$ 0	10,108	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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	•	Date	7. Title and a Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Performance Units	<u>(2)</u>				(2)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	2,394	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NELSON GREGORY L P.O. BOX 66149 ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149

Sr VP, GC & Secretary

### **Signatures**

G. L. Waters, Asst. Secy. of Ameren Corporation, attorney in fact for Gregory L. Nelson

02/29/2012

\*\*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) Sold to cover Mr. Nelson's tax liability for acquiring performance shares that have vested.
- (2) Each performance unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Ameren common stock. The performance units vest after a two year holding period.

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