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FORM	UNITEDS	TATES SECUR Was	RITIES A			COMMISSION	OMB Number:	3235-0287
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Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may contin <i>See</i> Instruct 1(b).	ue. Section 17(a	uant to Section 1) of the Public Ut 30(h) of the In	tility Hold	ing Com	pany Act c	of 1935 or Section	response	0.5
(Print or Type Re	sponses)							
1. Name and Add BEERING ST	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NISOURCE INC/DE [NI]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)		f Earliest Tra			(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 801 E 86TH AVENUE		(Month/D	(Month/Day/Year) 05/19/2006			X Director Officer (give below)		• Owner er (specify
		ndment, Dat hth/Day/Year)	-		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MERRILLVI	LLE, IN 46410-	6272				Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	porting
(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurities Ac	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Date, if Transaction Code		ies (A) or of (D) 4 and 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A)or(D) Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock						12,178.7422 (1)	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		4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)				
	Derivative				or Disposed of				
	Security			(D)					
	-				(Instr. 3, 4,				
					and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date	Expiration	Title	Amount
				coue :	(11) (2)	Exercisable	Date	1100	or
									Number
									of Shares
Phantom	¢O	05/10/2006	05/10/2006	٨	00 526	00/00/1000	00/00/1000	Common	00 526
Stock	\$ 0	05/19/2006	05/19/2006	А	90.526	08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Stock	90.526

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BEERING STEVEN C DR 801 E 86TH AVENUE MERRILLVILLE, IN 46410-6272	Х						
Signatures							
Gary W. Pottorff, Power of Attorne Beering	ey for Ste	ven C.		05/22/2006			
**Signature of Reporting Pe	erson			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).
- Includes 131.7966 shares acquired through the NiSource Automatic Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan on February 20, (1) 2006..

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