

DOYLE FRANCIS A  
Form 3/A  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â DOYLE FRANCIS A		(Month/Day/Year)	NORTHEAST UTILITIES [NU]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
			(Check all applicable)	04/10/2012
ONE FEDERAL STREET, BUILDING 111-4			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
			(give title below)	(specify below)
			Trustee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
SPRINGFIELD,Â MAÂ 01105				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Shares, \$5.00 par value	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Title	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DOYLE FRANCIS A ONE FEDERAL STREET, BUILDING 111-4 SPRINGFIELD, MA 01105	Â	Â	Â	Trustee

## Signatures

/s/ Richard J. Morrison - Attorney in Fact for Francis A. Doyle  
05/15/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 Form 3 originally filed on April 10, 2012 inadvertently reported ownership of 3,000 common shares of Northeast Utilities. The reporting person owned no common shares of Northeast Utilities on April 10, 2012. Instead, the reporting person owned 3,000 common shares of NSTAR, which subsequently converted to 3,936 common shares of Northeast Utilities upon the closing of Northeast Utilities' merger with NSTAR on April 10, 2012. The reporting person's acquisition of 3,936 common shares of Northeast Utilities upon the closing of the merger has been reported on a Form 4 filed on the same date as this Form 3/A.

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