

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
KERR BREENE M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP  
[CHK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
115 BAY ST  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/03/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

EASTON, MD 21601

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
Common Stock	02/03/2006		G		500	D	\$ 0
Common Stock	05/19/2006		M		12,500	D	\$ 15.06
Common Stock	05/19/2006		M		12,500	D	\$ 15.47
Common Stock	05/19/2006		M		12,500	D	\$ 16.08
Common Stock	05/19/2006		M		12,500	D	\$ 22.49

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Common Stock 51,000 I by Partnership

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 Derivative 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.06	05/19/2006		M	12,500	07/01/2004 07/01/2014	Common Stock 12
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.47	05/19/2006		M	12,500	01/03/2005 01/03/2015	Common Stock 12
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.08	05/19/2006		M	12,500	10/01/2004 10/01/2014	Common Stock 12
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.49	05/19/2006		M	12,500	04/01/2005 04/01/2015	Common Stock 12

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KERR BREENE M 115 BAY ST EASTON, MD 21601		X		

## Signatures

By: Jennifer M. Grigsby For: Breene  
M. Kerr

05/23/2006

\_\_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).

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