

DICKSON STEPHEN P  
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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 \*  
**DICKSON STEPHEN P**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**WISCONSIN ENERGY CORP [WEC]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**231 WEST MICHIGAN STREET**  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**12/22/2011**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Vice President and Controller**

**MILWAUKEE,, WI 53203**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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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 (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/22/2011		M		26,660	A	\$ 19.7375
Common Stock	12/22/2011		S		100 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 34.37
Common Stock	12/22/2011		S		876 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 34.3701
Common Stock	12/22/2011		S		100 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 34.38
Common Stock	12/22/2011		S		491 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 34.39
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Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	84 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.395	94,141	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	2,500 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.4	91,641	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	2,430 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.41	89,211	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	1,318 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.42	87,893	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	2,476 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.43	85,417	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	1,250 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.44	84,167	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	5,000 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.45	79,167	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	1,100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.46	78,067	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	200 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.47	77,867	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	802 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.48	77,065	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	2,411 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.5	74,654	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	1,900 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.51	72,754	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.5113	72,654	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.512	72,554	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.515	72,454	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	1,222 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.52	71,232	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.53	71,132	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011	S	2,000 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 34.66	69,132	D	
Common Stock						5,238.99 <u>(2)</u>	I	ERSP

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.7375 (3)	12/22/2011		M	26,660	01/03/2009 01/03/2016	Common Stock	26,660

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DICKSON STEPHEN P 231 WEST MICHIGAN STREET MILWAUKEE,, WI 53203			Vice President and Controller	

## Signatures

/s/ Joshua M. Erickson, as  
Attorney-in-Fact  
12/23/2011

\*\*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) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 22, 2011.
- (2) Includes shares acquired under the ERSP in transactions exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c) and exempt from reporting pursuant to Rule 16a-3(f)(1)(i)(B). The number of shares in the ERSP attributable to any one participant varies with the price of the Common Stock. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of December 13, 2011.
- (3) This option was previously reported as covering 13,330 shares at an exercise price of \$39.475 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that occurred on March 1, 2011.

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