

DOTY WILLIAM S  
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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 \*  
DOTY WILLIAM S

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ONE VECTREN SQUARE, P. O.  
BOX 209  
(Street)

EVANSVILLE, IN 47708

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VECTREN CORP [VVC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/01/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Exec VP, Utility Ops.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
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**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	(D)	Price		
Common Stock	12/01/2011		M		12,000	A	\$ 24.74	19,982.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011		S		1,400	D	\$ 29.2	18,582.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011		S		100	D	\$ 29.205	18,482.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011		S		2,000	D	\$ 29.208	16,482.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011		S		221	D	\$ 29.2091	16,261.251	D

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Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	2,000	D	\$ 29.21	14,261.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	300	D	\$ 29.215	13,961.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	300	D	\$ 29.22	13,661.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	1,440	D	\$ 29.2272	12,221.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	600	D	\$ 29.2292	11,621.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	1,430	D	\$ 29.23	10,191.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	1,696	D	\$ 29.2464	8,495.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	200	D	\$ 29.26	8,295.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	300	D	\$ 29.2733	7,995.251	D
Common Stock	12/01/2011	S	13	D	\$ 29.29	7,982.251	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)	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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.74	12/01/2011		M	12,000	<u>(1)</u> 01/01/2014	Common Stock	12,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DOTY WILLIAM S ONE VECTREN SQUARE P. O. BOX 209 EVANSVILLE, IN 47708			Exec VP, Utility Ops.	

## Signatures

/s/Ronald E. Christian	12/02/2011
**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) Stock options granted under the Vectren Corporation At-Risk Compensation Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. The options vest in three installments on January 1, 2005, January 1, 2006 and January 1, 2007.

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