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Stock

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Common

08/13/2012

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Butler John	Address of Reporting l M	Symbol	r Name and Ticker or Trading NERGY CORP [CMS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) ONE ENER	(First) (N	,	f Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 012	— Director — 10% Owner — Officer (give title — Other (specify below) Senior Vice President				
JACKSON,	(Street) , MI 49201		endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-Derivative Securities A	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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Pri	O) Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	08/13/2012		A $\frac{13,700}{(1)}$ A \$0	103,248 D (2)				

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

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Butler John M

ONE ENERGY PLAZA Senior Vice President

JACKSON, MI 49201

Signatures

Catherine M. Reynolds, 08/14/2012 Attny-In-Fact

**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).
- Shares of Common Stock of CMS Energy Corporation ("CMS") acquired as a result of CMS exceeding certain performance criteria (1) established under the 2009 Restricted Stock Award granted to the reporting person in accordance with the provisions of the CMS Performance Incentive Stock Plan.
 - The total holdings reflect an adjustment of 1 additional share of Common Stock of CMS Energy Corporation ("CMS") acquired as a result of the reporting person's participation in the CMS Stock Purchase Plan, and an adjustment of 515 additional shares of Restricted
- (2) Stock purchased on behalf of the reporting person as a result of an automatic acquisition of Restricted Stock in lieu of cash dividends pursuant to the terms of the award granted to the reporting person in accordance with the provisions of the CMS Performance Incentive

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