DYNEGY INC.
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ELWARD THOMAS W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

5531 SWAN LAKE DRIVE

(Street)

WEST BLOOMFIELD, MI 48322

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
DYNEGY INC. [DYN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/30/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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			

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	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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

	Derivative Security			Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	(1)	09/30/2011		A		4,237.29 (2)		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	4,237.29

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELWARD THOMAS W 5531 SWAN LAKE DRIVE WEST BLOOMFIELD, MI 48322	X			

Signatures

/s/ Heidi D. Lewis, Attorney-in-Fact	10/04/2011
**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) These shares are held in a rabbi trust and are deemed to be phantom stock that are convertible on a 1-for-1 basis.

(2) Reflects shares of phantom stock issued to the Reporting Person pursuant to the Dynegy Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Certain Directors, as amended, a Rule 16b-3 Plan with the issuer. The shares of phantom stock were issued in connection with the Reporting Person's director compensation for the third quarter of 2011, and the number of shares of phantom stock issued with respect to the quarter was calculated based on the stock price of the issuer's common stock of $4.13 (rounded) on September 30, 2011, the last trading day of the quarter.

(3) Upon termination of the Reporting Person's service as a director, the shares of phantom stock become payable, at the election of the Reporting Person, in a lump sum payment or in monthly, quarterly or annual installment payments following such termination. The shares of phantom stock are payable in cash or in shares of the issuer's common stock.

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