LAURITO JAMES P

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAURITO JAMES P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

CH ENERGY GROUP INC [CHG]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

CH ENERGY GROUP, INC., 284

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

11/30/2011

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

SOUTH AVENUE

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/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

POUGHKEEPSIE, NY 12601

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Derivative Disposed of (D) Security (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount or Exercisable Date Number of Shares Phantom Common (2) (2)11.2392 (1) 11/30/2011 Α 11.2392 Stock Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LAURITO JAMES P CH ENERGY GROUP, INC. 284 SOUTH AVENUE POUGHKEEPSIE, NY 12601

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

Signatures

James P. Laurito Per Power of Attorney

**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).

12/01/2011

- (1) The price of the reported phantom stock units is set at the price of the common stock of CH Energy Group, Inc. on a one-for-one basis.
- As provided in the Company's Directors and Executives Deferred Compensation Plan, the phantom stock will be settled in cash on a date (2) following the termination of service of the reporting person or a date fixed at the election of the reporting person. The reporting person also may transfer some or all of the phantom stock into an alternative investment account at any time.

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