#### **CHARLTON SAMUEL H III**

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 $J4^{(3)}$ 

48.0248

\$ <sup>(4)</sup> 137.7792

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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 | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date |                  | 4.          | 5.         | 6. Date Exerc |            | 7. Titl |          | 8. Price of |  |
|--|-------------|-------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|------------|---------|----------|-------------|--|
|  | Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | •                | Transaction | Number     | Expiration D  |            | Amou    |          | Derivative  |  |
|  | Security    | or Exercise |                     | any              | Code        | of         | (Month/Day/   | Year)      | Under   | , ,      | Security    |  |
|  | (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8)  | Derivative | e             |            | Securi  | ities    | (Instr. 5)  |  |
|  |             | Derivative  |                     |                  |             | Securities |               |            | (Instr. | 3 and 4) |             |  |
|  |             | Security    |                     |                  |             | Acquired   |               |            |         |          |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             | (A) or     |               |            |         |          |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             | Disposed   |               |            |         |          |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             | of (D)     |               |            |         |          |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             | (Instr. 3, |               |            |         |          |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             | 4, and 5)  |               |            |         |          |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             | ,          |               |            |         |          |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             |            |               |            |         | Amount   |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             |            | Date          | Expiration |         | or       |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             |            | Exercisable   | Date       |         | Number   |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             |            |               |            |         | of       |             |  |
|  |             |             |                     |                  |             | (A) (D)    |               |            |         | Shares   |             |  |

### **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                     | Keiationsnips |           |                          |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                  | Other |  |  |  |
| CHARLTON SAMUEL H III<br>P.O. BOX 5000<br>PINEVILLE, LA 71361-5000 | Â             | Â         | Sr. VP - Cleco Midstream | Â     |  |  |  |

### **Signatures**

Judy P. Miller, Atty-in-Fact for Samuel H. Charlton III

01/31/2005

\*\*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) Contributions and/or reinvestment of dividends under the Company's 401(k) plan during 2004.
- **(2)** \$17.24 \$20.26
- (3) Allocation of shares under the Company's ESOP.
- **(4)** \$165.50 \$194.50

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