

INERGY L P  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
OBRIEN RICHARD T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TWO BRUSH CREEK  
BOULEVARD, SUITE 200

(Street)

KANSAS CITY, MO 64112

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
INERGY L P [NRGY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/05/2010

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)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Units                    | 11/05/2010                           |  | A                              | V   | 4,897   | A  | D                                 |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | (1)<br>(3)  |  |                                   |

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)**

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| 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Options                                    | \$ 14.94   | 11/05/2010                           |  | A                              | 46,200  | 05/11/2009 05/10/2016                                    | Common Units  | 46,200                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| OBRIEN RICHARD T<br>TWO BRUSH CREEK BOULEVARD, SUITE 200<br>KANSAS CITY, MO 64112 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Judy Riddle (attorney-in-fact) for Richard T. O'Brien 11/09/2010

\*\*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) Acquired pursuant to the First Amended and Restated Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of September 3, 2010 (the "Merger Agreement"), by and among Inergy, L.P. ("Inergy"), Inergy GP, LLC, Inergy Holdings, L.P. ("Holdings"), Inergy Holdings GP, LLC, NRG Limited Partner, LLC and NRG MS, LLC. Acquired 4,897 common units representing limited partner interests in Inergy on November 5, 2010 pursuant to the Merger Agreement in exchange for 6,360 Holdings common units. On the effective date of the merger, the closing sales price of Holdings common units on the NYSE was \$30.71, and the closing sales price of Inergy common units on the NYSE was \$39.95 per unit.
  - (2) Acquired pursuant to Merger Agreement in exchange for options to purchase 60,000 Holdings common units at \$11.50 per unit.
  - (3) Includes Inergy restricted units acquired pursuant to the Merger Agreement.

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