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(Print or Type)	Responses)										
NICHOLS J LARRY Symbol			Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			[DVN]	N ENERGY CORP/DE				(Check all applicable)			
			e of Earliest Transaction h/Day/Year) 5/2006				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CHAIRMAN AND CEO				
	(Street)			endment, Da nth/Day/Year	-	l		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by C Form filed by M	One Reporting Pe	rson	
OKLAHON CITY, OK	ИА 73102-8260							Person		porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-E	Derivative	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Fransaction Date 2A. Deemed onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securit on(A) or Dia (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	sposed	of (D)	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)	
Common Stock	12/15/2006			М	12,000	А	\$ 16.25	1,267,324	D		
Common Stock	12/15/2006			М	68,000	А	\$ 16.25	1,335,324	D		
Common Stock	12/15/2006			F	26,604	D	\$ 70.68	1,308,720	D		
Common Stock								157,248	Ι	by Spouse	
Common Stock								85,930	Ι	by Trust	

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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 Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed c (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.25	12/15/2006		М	12,000	) 12/09/1998	12/15/2006	Common Stock	12
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.25	12/15/2006		М	68,000	) 08/17/1999	12/15/2006	Common Stock	68

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
NICHOLS J LARRY 20 NORTH BROADWAY OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102-8260	Х		CHAIRMAN AND CEO					
Signatures								
By: Janice A. Dobbs For: J. Larry Nichols		12/19/2006						
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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