Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Forsee Gary D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INC [GXP]												son(s) to Iss 10% Ov	
	,	NS ENERGY IN	(Middle)	RATED	05/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) below) below 05/18/2009											Other (: below)		
(Street) KANSA	S CITY M	(O)	64106		- 4. If	f Amer	ndmen	t, Date	of Origina	of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deri	vative	Sec	uriti	es Ac	quired	, Di	sposed	of, or B	enefici	ally	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day)					Execution Date		Date,	3. Transac Code (li 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			and 5) Securiti Benefic		es ally Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common	Stock			05/18/	2009				P		2,500	A	\$14.7	7798	2,	500 D			
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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 I if any (Month/Day	on Date,	Date, Transa Code (6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	n Dat	e	7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		De	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares						
Director Deferred Share	(1)								(1)		(1)	Common Stock	2,599	(2)		2,599 ⁽²	2)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Director Deferred Share Units are granted under the Long-Term Incentive Plan. Each unit represents the right-to-receive one share of Great Plains Energy Common Stock, plus stock reflecting reinvested dividends. Units are converted to stock and distributed on the January 31st following the date of termination of service on the Board.
- 2. Amount includes 41 Director Deferred Share Units accrued from February 10, 2009 to May 18, 2009, through dividend reinvestment.

Remarks:

Executed on behalf of Gary D. Forsee by Mark G. English,

05/19/2009

Date

attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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