CHRISTIAN RONALD E

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add CHRISTIAN	1	-	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VECTREN CORP [VVC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
ONE VECTREN SQUARE, P. O. BOX 209			12/31/2010	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
EVANSVILL	E, IN 47708	3	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect

Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Instr. 8)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/31/2010		F(1)	4,229	D	\$0	22,368	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2010		M	600	A	<u>(2)</u>	22,968	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2010		D	600	D	\$ 25.38	22,368	D	
Common Stock							5,988.5873	I	401k Plan

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of actionDerivative Securities 8) 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)		(
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	12/31/2010		M		600	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	600	
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	01/01/2011		A	17,700		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	17,700	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CHRISTIAN RONALD E ONE VECTREN SQUARE P. O. BOX 209 EVANSVILLE, IN 47708

Exec VP, Chief Legal Officer

Signatures

/s/Ronald E. 01/04/2011 Christian

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
- The reporting person elected not to defer restricted stock vesting in 2010, resulting in the sale of securities to cover tax withholding due (1) upon the lifting of restrictions and receipt of shares. The transaction was previously approved by the Compensation and Benefits Committee of the Board of Directors and is exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) The stock unit award vesting in 2010 was settled for cash. Each share of phantom stock was the economic equivalent of one share of VVC common stock.
- (3) The stock unit award was acquired pursuant to the Vectren Corporation At-Risk Compensation Plan and is subject to forfeiture as provided by the Plan and the Plan Agreement. The lifting of restrictions and the forfeitability provisions is dependent upon contingent

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service by the executive. Restrictions applicable to the award will be lifted 1/3rd as of December 31, 2010, 1/3rd as of December 31, 2011 and 1/3rd as of December 31, 2012. The board of directors approved the acquisition in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d).

The stock unit award was acquired pursuant to the Vectren Corporation At-Risk Compensation Plan and is subject to forfeiture as provided by the Plan and the Plan Agreement. The lifting of restrictions and the forfeitability provisions is dependent upon performance during a measuring period from January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2013 and, subject to certain enumerated circumstances, continued employment until December 31, 2014. The board of directors approved the acquisition in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d).

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