Genie Energy Ltd. Form 4 January 30, 2014

# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* PUPKIN CLAUDE

(First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Genie Energy Ltd. [GNE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/28/2014

C/O GENIE ENERGY LTD., 550

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

SVP & Former CEO

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NEWARK, NJ 07102

**BROAD STREET** 

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities A	equired, Disposed	l of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) of (D) 4 and (A) or	))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Series 2012-A Preferred Stock, \$.01 par value per share							1,250	D	
Class B Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	01/28/2014		A	7,453 (1)	A	\$0	68,259 <u>(2)</u>	D	

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Class B By Common Individual Stock, \$.01 Retirement par value Account per share

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

**PUPKIN CLAUDE** C/O GENIE ENERGY LTD. 550 BROAD STREET NEWARK, NJ 07102

**SVP & Former CEO** 

# **Signatures**

Joyce J. Mason, by Power of Attorney 01/30/2014

\*\*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).

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Represents a grant of 7,453 shares of Class B Common Restricted Stock, 2,484 of which vest on each of December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2015 and 2,485 of which vest on December 31, 2016.

- Includes 12,487 unvested shares of the Company's Class B Common Restricted Stock, which vest on November 3, 2014; 2,484 shares of (2) Restricted Class B Common Stock which vest on each of December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2015 and 2,485 shares of Restricted Class B Common Stock which vest on December 31, 2016.
- (3) Includes 1,070 shares previously owned through a 401(k) plan that were rolled over into an Individual Retirement Account on March 7, 2012.

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