Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BUERGLER WILLIAM M | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP [CHK] | | | | | | | | | | ck all app Direct | , | ng Persoi | ssuer wner specify | |
|--|--|--|-------------------|---|--|--|---|---|--------------------|---------------------------|---|---|----------------------|-----------------------|--|---|---|-------------------------------------|---|
| (Last) 6100 N. W | (First) (Middle) N. WESTERN AVE. | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2020 | | | | | | | | below | , | below) ccounting Office | | icer |
| (Street) OKLAHOL CITY (City) | MA OK | | 3118 Zip) | | 4. If A | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Line) | S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date | | | | 2. Transac Date (Month/Da | Exec pay/Year) if an | | A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction | | 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | | , 4 and Secui Bene | | cially Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | or F | Price | Transa | ction(s) 3 and 4) | | | (5 4) | | | |
| Common Stock 03/07 | | | | | | 2020 | | | F | | 19,765(1) |) [|) | \$0.22 | 47 | 479,122 | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 70,681 | | I | | by Trust | |
| | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Security o (Instr. 3) P | Conversion or Exercise Price of Perivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Executi if any | 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) | | Exerc ion Da /Day/Y | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ir 3 and 4) | | Str. | Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr | nership m: ect (D) ndirect | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Explanation of Despenses: | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | | Expiration Date | Title | Amou or Numl of Share | ber | | | | | | | |

1. These shares were forfeited to the issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the partial vesting of a previously disclosed restricted stock award.

Remarks:

J. David Hershberger For: WILLIAM M. BUERGLER

03/09/2020

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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