FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MCCLENDON AUBREY K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP [CHK]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
		<u>LY K</u>		X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2003	X	Officer (give title below) Chairman 8	Other (specify below) z CEO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2003	6. Indi Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Fili	ng (Check Applicable			
	(a)	<i>(</i>) \	-	X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Form filed by More th Person	an One Reporting			

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/01/2003		Р		4,000	A	8.18	9,317,346	D		
Common Stock	05/01/2003		Р		30,000	A	8.2	9,347,346	D		
Common Stock	05/01/2003		Р		50,000	A	8.21	9,397,346	D		
Common Stock	05/01/2003		Р		41,000	A	8.22	9,438,346	D		

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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

<u>By: Jennifer M. Grigsby For:</u> <u>Aubrey K. McClendon</u>

05/05/2003

** 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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