FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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) X Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
| | | | | | - | | | | | | | | | X Directo | r (give title | | Other (s | - |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2003 | | | | | | | X below) | below) below) | | | peony | |
| | | | | | - [| | | | | | | | Chairman & CEO | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | 4.1 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | | |
| | (2) | | (7:) | | - | | | | | | | | | X Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (St | ate) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | ting | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/E | | | | | Execution Date, | | | Code (Ir | | | | | Beneficia Owned F | s For Illy (D) ollowing (I) (| | : Direct Indirect str. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) o (D) | r Price | Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a | action(s) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| | 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) | Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | Date, | | ransaction of E ode (Instr. Derivative (| | Expiration I | 5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4) | e Ownersh 5 Form: Ily Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. | Ownership | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | | xpiration ate | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| 6.75% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 0 | 05/20/2003 | | | р | | 35,000 | | 05/20/2003 | 0 | 8/08/1988 | Common Stock | 227,273 | \$73.63 | \$110,5 | 500 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each share of 6.75% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible, at any time at the option of the holder, into 6.4935 shares of common stock. The preferred stock is perpetual and there is no expiration of the conversion right.

| <u>By: Jennifer M. Grigsby For:</u> | 05/21 | | |
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| Aubrey K. McClendon | <u>05/21</u> | | |
| ** Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | |

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** Signature of Reporting Person

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

 \ast If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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