

LINN ENERGY, LLC
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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 Address of Reporting Person *
RIPLEY CHARLENE A

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 600 TRAVIS, SUITE 5100
 (Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LINN ENERGY, LLC [LINE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
02/04/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP, GC and Corp. Secty.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Units representing limited liability company interests	02/04/2009		A	(A) or (D) V	48,195 (1) \$ 0	100,245	D

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 Derivative Securities 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)
Unit Option	\$ 15.95	02/04/2009		A	58,075	(2) 02/04/2019	Units representing limited liability company interests 58,075

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
RIPLEY CHARLENE A 600 TRAVIS, SUITE 5100 HOUSTON, TX 77002	Director 10% Owner Officer SVP, GC and Corp. Secty. Other

Signatures

/s/ Candice J. Wells,
Attorney-in-Fact
Date: 02/06/2009

__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).
- (1) Subject to accelerated vesting in certain circumstances, the restricted units vest in three equal installments beginning January 2010, provided the Reporting Person remains employed with the Issuer on the applicable vesting date.
- (2) Subject to accelerated vesting in certain circumstances, the options vest in three equal installments beginning January 2010, provided the Reporting Person remains employed with the Issuer on the applicable vesting date.

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