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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Å HARGIS V BURNS			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP [CHK]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	09/15/2008	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
107 WHITEHURST, OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY (Street) STILLWATER, OK 74078				(Check all applicable) <u>X</u> Director <u>10%</u> Owner Officer <u>Other</u> (give title below) (specify below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securit	ies Be	neficially Owned		
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ty		2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*		
Reminder: Repo owned directly o	-	te line for eac	ch class of securities benefici	ally S	EC 1473 (7-02)			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (<i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)									

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title Amount or	Security: Direct (D)			

Shares

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
		ctor	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HARGIS V BURNS 107 WHITEHURST OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY STILLWATER, OK 74078	Â	X	Â	Â	Â			
Signatures								
By: Jennifer M. Grigsby For: V. Burns Hargis	09/15/2008							
**Signature of Reporting Person			Date					
Explanation of Responses:								

No securities are beneficially owned

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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