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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Keyes James Patrick

231 WEST MICHIGAN STREET

(State)

01/02/2013

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

WISCONSIN ENERGY CORP

[WEC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/02/2013

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

Executive VP & CFO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

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

MILWAUKEE, WI 53203

(City)

Common

Stock

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

A 3,705 A \$0 4,533

D

T

ERSP

Stock

Common

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 37.46	01/02/2013		A	95,265	01/02/2016(2)	01/02/2023	Common Stock	95,265

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			•	
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Relationships

Keyes James Patrick
231 WEST MICHIGAN STREET
MILWAUKEE, WI 53203

Executive
VP & CFO

Signatures

/s/ Joshua M. Erickson, as Attorney-in-Fact

01/04/2013

**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).
- Includes shares acquired under Wisconsin Energy Corporation's Employee Retirement Savings Plan (ERSP) in transactions exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c) and exempt from reporting pursuant to Rule 16a-3(f)(1)(i)(B). The number of shares in the ERSP attributable to any one participant varies with the price of the Common Stock. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of December 31, 2012.
- (2) Options vest 100% on the date indicated.

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