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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cleary Anne M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GenOn Energy, Inc. [GEN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
1000 MAIN STREET			12/10/2012	X Officer (give title Other (spec below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
HOUSTON, TX 77002			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative S	ecuriti	ies Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/10/2012		A	106,865 (1)	A	\$0	357,824 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	12/10/2012		F	12,984 (3)	D	\$ 2.68	344,840	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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	f TransactionNumber		Expiration Da	Expiration Date Ame		int of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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				C-1- 1	7 (A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cleary Anne M

1000 MAIN STREET SVP, Asset Mgmt

HOUSTON, TX 77002

Signatures

/s/ Anne M. 12/12/2012 Cleary

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).

Comprised of (i) 35,621 shares of common stock resulting from the vesting on December 10, 2012, upon the satisfaction of

- (1) performance-based conditions, of one-third of the performance-based restricted stock units that were granted on February 27, 2012, and (ii) 71,244 restricted stock units that, upon the satisfaction of the performance-based conditions on December 10, 2012, will vest ratably over the next two years on an annual basis and that may only be settled in common stock.
- (2) Includes five shares previously held by spouse and reported as indirect ownership.
- (3) The reporting person disposed of these shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations related to the vesting of performance-based restricted stock units

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