

PONTARELLI KENNETH A
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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 *
 PONTARELLI KENNETH A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CVR ENERGY INC [CVI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 85 BROAD ST
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/12/2009

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

NEW YORK, NY 10004
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 11/12/2009 | | S | V | Amount \$ 7,376,264 D 8.95 | Price 24,057,296 | I |
| | | | | | | | See footnotes (1) (2) (3) |

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 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PONTARELLI KENNETH A 85 BROAD ST NEW YORK, NY 10004 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Yvette Kosaic, 11/16/2009
Attorney-in-fact

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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The Reporting Person is a managing director of Goldman, Sachs & Co. ("Goldman Sachs"). Goldman Sachs is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ("GS Group"). The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any.

(2) Pursuant to an underwriting agreement, dated November 5, 2009 (the "Underwriting Agreement"), and in connection with the registered public offering of shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock") of CVR Energy, Inc. (the "Company"), pursuant to the final prospectus filed by the Company on November 9, 2009, which offering was consummated on November 12, 2009, Coffeyville Acquisition II LLC ("CA II") sold 7,376,264 shares of Common Stock.

(3) Goldman Sachs beneficially owns directly and GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 200 shares of Common Stock. Goldman Sachs and GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 24,057,096 shares of Common Stock that are beneficially owned directly by CA II through certain investment partnerships that are members of and own common units of CA II because (i) affiliates of Goldman Sachs and GS Group are the general partner, managing limited partner, managing partner, managing member or member of those investment partnerships and (ii) those investment partnerships control CA II and have the power to vote or dispose of the Common Stock owned by CA II.

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