AES CORP Form 4 April 27, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **ODEEN PHILIP A**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

Symbol AES CORP [AES]

(Middle)

(Zip)

(First) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2009

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

C/O THE AES **CORPORATION, 4300 WILSON**

BOULEVARD

(City)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

ARLINGTON, VA 22203

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

(State)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Indirect (I) Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Ι 23,000 Stock

By Joint Ownership

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		1 7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Units	<u>(1)</u>	04/23/2009		A	29,154	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	29,1
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.69	04/23/2009		A	26,442	04/23/2010(2)	04/23/2019(2)	Common Stock	26,4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ODEEN PHILIP A C/O THE AES CORPORATION 4300 WILSON BOULEVARD ARLINGTON, VA 22203	X					

Signatures

Philip A. Odeen 04/27/2009

**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).

Directors may elect to defer receipt of annual cash compensation, in addition to the mandatory first 34% of the Annual Retainer, otherwise payable to such Director in the form of stock units, and may also elect to receive his/her Deferred Incentive Compensation Grant in the form of stock units and/or an option grant valued at \$165,000, in the aggregate, on the grant date. The number of stock units awarded to a Non-Employee Director is determined by dividing the cash compensation and dollar value of the equity compensation to be awarded in stock units by the closing market price of the Company's Common stock on the grant date. A Non-Employee Director is not eligible to receive a distribution of shares from settlement of his/her stock units until after termination of Board service in accordance with his/her respective Distribution Election Notification. Each stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of AES Common

Pursuant to the Amended and Restated Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors of The AES Corporation ("AES"), Non-Employee

This stock option award was granted pursuant to The AES Corporation 2001 Plan for Outside Directors (as Amended and Restated). Mr.

Odeen elected to take 50% of his Deferred Incentive Compensation Grant in the form of a stock option grant. This award will vest in three equal annual installments such that one third will vest on 04/23/2010, one third will vest on 04/23/2011 and the remaining third will vest on 04/23/2012.

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