FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	. Name and Address of herman, John J.	of Reporting Pers	son*	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	Statement for Month/Day/Year	6. Relationshi	o of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	Inergy LP NRGY	October 3, 2002	X Director X X Officer (give			
,	МО	(Street)		3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting	5. If Amendment, Date of Original	Description Officer	President & Chief Executive		
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Person, if an entity (voluntary)	(Month/Day/Year)	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
						X Form filed Form filed	by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting Person		

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 (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(A) or Disposed Of (D))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)				
Common Units	10/03/2002	10/03/2002	ı		118.534	А	\$29.00	194.166	ı	By Employee Unit Purchase Plan			
Common Units							\$	10,000	ı	Note (1)			
Common Units							\$	394,601	ı	Note (2)			

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. Transa Code (Insi		Acquir or Dispos (D)	ivative curities red (A) sed Of tr. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable(DE)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr.5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.4)	10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4)
				Code	V	А	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			(Instr.4)	
Senior Subordinated Units	1 for 1							Note (3)		Common Units		\$	959,954	ı	Note (4)
Senior Subordinated Units	1 for 1							Note (3)		Common Units		\$	1,807	ı	Note (5)
Senior Subordinated Units	1 for 1							Note (6)		Common Units		\$	507,063	ı	Note (4)

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) These units are held by Inergy Partners, LLC of which Inergy Holdings, LLC has 100% voting control. Mr. Sherman holds an ownership interest in and has voting control of Inergy Holdings. Mr. Sherman disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- (2) These units are held by IPCH Acquisition Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Inergy Holdings, LLC. Mr. Sherman holds an ownership interest in and has voting control of Inergy Holdings. Mr. Sherman disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- (3) The Senior Subordinated Units will convert into common units, if at all, once the Issuer meets certain financial tests set forth in the partnership agreement but generally not before June 30, 2006.

- (4) These subordinated units are held by New Inergy Propane, LLC of which Inergy Partners, LLC has 100% voting control. Inergy Holdings, LLC has 100% voting control of Inergy Partners. Mr. Sh erman holds an ownership interest in and has voting control of Inergy Holdings. Mr. Sherman disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- (5) These subordinated units are held by Inergy Holdings, LLC. Mr. Sherman holds an ownership interest in and has voting control of Inergy Holdings. Mr. Sherman disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- (6) The Junior Subordinated Units will convert into common units, if at all, once the Issuer meets certain financial tests set forth in the partnership agreement but generally not before June 30, 2008.

<u>/s/ John J. Sherman</u>
** Signature of Reporting Person

10/03/2002 Date

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly

* 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).

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