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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>ELBERT PHILLIP</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>INERGY L P</u> [NRGY]								onship of Reporting P II applicable) Director	10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) TWO BRUSH CREEK BLVD., SUITE 200						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2010								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) COO					
(Street) KANSAS CITY MO 64112 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individ X	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
			Т	able I -	Non-Der	ivative Se	curities A	cquired,	Disp	osed of	, or Bene	ficially Ow	ned						
					2. Transact Date	Execu	zA. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially Owned		ollowing Direct (D) or Ind		t (I) Indirect Beneficial	
					(Month/Day				v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4 (Instr. 3 and 4)		(instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Units					02/01/2	010		Α		70,	000 ⁽²⁾	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	84,883(1)		1	D		
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)	of Derivative Security (Instr. Conversion of Execution Derivative Security Derivative Security Derivative			4. Transao (Instr. 8)	ction Code 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Expiration	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amount of Sect ecurity (Instr. 3	urities Underlying and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following	e Foi s (D) illy (I) (Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	Date Expirat Exercisable Date				Amount or Number of Sha	ires	Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 2,684 Common Units received by Mr. Elbert as a result of a distribution by DIL, Inc., an entity in which Mr. Elbert owns a minority interest. The distribution was made with no consideration paid by Mr. Elbert. 2. Restricted units granted under the Inergy, L.P. Long Term Incentive Plan. The restricted units vest in three installments as follows: 25% of the restricted units vest on the 3rd anniversary of the grant date, 25% of the restricted units vest on the 4th anniversary of the grant date, and the remaining 50% of the restricted units vest on the 5th anniversary of the grant date. The restricted units are subject to forfeiture if certain company financial performance metrics are not met.

Remarks:

On January 12, 2004, the Common, Senior Subordinated and Junior Subordinated Units of Inergy, L.P. underwent a two-for-one split.

/s/ Judy Riddle (attorney-in-fact) for Phillip Elbert

** Signature of Reporting Person

02/03/2010 Date

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).
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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Laura L. Ozenberger, Michael K. Post and/or Judy Riddle the undersigned's true and 1
 (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned any and all reports on Forms 3, 4, and 5 that may be required from time to time with respect to the undersigned
 (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such reports on Forms 3,
 (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the be

The undersigned hereby grants to such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or pro This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 9th day of February, 2006.

/s/ Phillip L. Elbert