## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Grimes Scott D.						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Evergy, Inc. [ EVRG ]									(Cr	Relationsh leck all ap X Dire	,	ng Per	rson(s) to Is			
	ERGY, INC		(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  01/02/2019  Officer (give title below)  below)  Other (specification)												specify				
1200 MA	AIN STREE	;T			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Line)											g (Check A	pplicable					
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date		Code (Instr.		4. Secur Dispose 5)	. Securities Acquired (A isposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, )			Secur Benef	cially I Following	Forn (D) o	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
							Code	v	Amount	() ()	A) or O)	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)			(3 4)					
Common	Stock																788	788 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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Insti				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				7. Title Amoui Securi Underl Deriva (Instr.	nt of ties lying tive Se		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e s ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Director Deferred Share Units	(1)	01/02/2019			A <sup>(2)</sup>		2,290			(2)		(2)	Comm Stocl		2,290	\$0	10,378	(3)	D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Director Deferred Share Units represent the right to receive one share of Evergy, Inc. ("Evergy") common stock, plus, if applicable, stock reflecting reinvested dividends. Units are converted to stock and distributed following termination of service on the Board pursuant to elections made by the reporting person.
- 2. Director Deferred Share Units received as partial payment of retainer fees that have been deferred pursuant to elections made by the reporting person.
- 3. Includes 130 deferred share units acquired through the reinvestment of dividend equivalents.

Executed on behalf of Scott D. Grimes by Jeffrey C. DeBruin, 01/04/2019

attorney-in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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