NELSON CRAIG D

Form 5

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Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	02/11/2005	Â	A	1,640 (4)	A	\$ 51.21	8,556 (5)	D	Â
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	290	I	Custodian for Daughter #2
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	289	I	Custodian for Daughter #1
\$.01 Par Value									

 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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)	Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 39.25	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	04/28/2000	04/28/2008	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	9,700
Stock Option	\$ 36.625	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	02/12/2001	02/12/2009	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	8,025
Stock Option	\$ 31	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	02/11/2002	02/11/2010	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	14,100

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
NELSON CRAIG D P. O. BOX 66149 ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149	Â	Â	Â	Vice President of Subsidiary			

Signatures

G. L. Waters, Asst. Secy. for Craig D.

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Issuer of shares is Central Illinois Public Service Company, a subsidiary of Ameren Corporation.
- (2) Includes a total of 191 shares acquired monthly from January through December 2004 at prices ranging from \$42.23 to \$50.11.
- (3) Amount includes a total of 6 shares acquired during the first through fourth quarters of 2004 through reinvested dividends at prices ranging from \$42.23 to \$50.11.
- (4) Grant of restricted stock.
- (5) Amount includes a total of 375 shares acquired during the first through fourth quarters of 2004 through reinvested dividends at prices ranging from \$42.23 to \$50.11.

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