MILLER ENERGY RESOURCES, INC.

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

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| 1. Name and Ad BORUFF SC | | rting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MILLER ENERGY RESOURCES, INC. [MILL] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|--|--|----------------|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 9721 COGDILL ROAD, SUITE 302 (Street) | | , , | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/16/2014 | _X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specification) below) CEO | | |
| | | | 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 | | |
| KNOXVILLE, TN 37932 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) (| Table Table | e I - Non-D | erivative Se | curitie | es Acqu | iired, Disposed of | , or Beneficial | y Owned |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1.Title of Security | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 3. | 4. Securitie | • | | 5. Amount of Securities | 6. Ownership Form: Direct | 7. Nature of Indirect |
| (Instr. 3) | (Month Buy Tour) | any | Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial | | |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | (A) | | Owned Following Reported | Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock (1) | 04/16/2014 | | A | 100,000 | A | \$0 | 4,340,728 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 8,000 | I | Children |

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| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | Title | Number | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 0 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| BORUFF SCOTT M | | | | | | | |
| 9721 COGDILL ROAD | X | | CEO | | | | |
| SUITE 302 | Λ | | CLO | | | | |
| KNOXVILLE, TN 37932 | | | | | | | |

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ Scott M.
Boruff

**Signature of 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).

This restricted stock grant was approved by a committee of Miller Energy Resources, Inc.'s board of directors on June 21, 2013; subject to shareholder approval of an increase in the number of shares available for grant under the 2011 Equity Compensation Plan. Such shareholder approval was obtained on April 16, 2014.

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