FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person* Moser Christopher					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NRG ENERGY, INC. [NRG]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Head of Com Mkts & Policy					
(Last) 804 CAF	(Last) (First) (Middle) 804 CARNEGIE CENTER					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2023													
(Street) PRINCETON NJ 08540				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Lin	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)		Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day				Executive (Executive (Deemed cution Date, ny nth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securit Disposed and 5)						5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned	cially 1	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	() or ()	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share 08/01/2						2023			A		202		A	\$ <mark>0</mark> (1) ⁽¹⁾ 167,718		,718 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)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Numl of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instr	rative rities iired r osed)	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Da	ear) Amou Securi Under Deriva Securi		ount of urities erlying vative urity tr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall General Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	or Num of Sha						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents dividend equivalent rights accrued on the Reporting Person's deferred stock units, which become exercisable proportionately with the deferred stock units to which they relate and may only be settled in NRG common stock. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of NRG common stock. Includes 1,204 dividend equivalent rights.

<u>Christine Zoino, by Power of Attorney</u>

08/03/2023

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** Signature of Reporting Person 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).
- ** 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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