

SCHMIDT JOEL J
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SCHMIDT JOEL J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

P O BOX 14720

(Street)

MADISON, WI 53708-0720

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALLIANT ENERGY CORP [LNT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

11/01/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	11/01/2010		M		32 A \$ 31.54	5,119.166	D
Common Stock	11/01/2010		M		968 A \$ 27.79	6,087.166	D
Common Stock	11/01/2010		S		1,000 D \$ 36.278	5,087.166	D
Common Stock	11/02/2010		M		2,963 A \$ 27.79	8,050.166	D
Common Stock	11/02/2010		S		2,963 D \$ 37	5,087.166	D

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Common Stock 2,116.1345 (1) I By 401(k) Plan

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

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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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.54	11/01/2010		M	32	01/02/2004 01/02/2011	Common Stock	32
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.79	11/01/2010		M	968	05/16/2005 05/16/2012	Common Stock	968
Deferred Common Stock	\$ 0	11/02/2010		A	5.7909	(2) (2)	Common Stock	5.7909
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.79	11/02/2010		M	2,963	05/16/2005 05/16/2012	Common Stock	2,963

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHMIDT JOEL J P O BOX 14720			Vice President	

MADISON, WI 53708-0720

Signatures

/s/ F. J. Buri, by Power of
Attorney

11/03/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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) Reflects 401(k) holdings as of this filing date.
 - (2) Units are to be settled upon reporting person's retirement.

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