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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Grech James C. Issuer Symbol CONSOL Energy Inc [CNX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title) _ Other (specify 1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE 02/01/2016 below) **EVP & Chief Commercial Officer** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

CANONSBURG, PA 15317

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(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative Se	curiti	es Aco	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or of (D) and 5 (A) or		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)
Common shares, \$0.01 par value per share	02/01/2016		F	3 128		\$ 0	50,672 (2)	D	
Common shares, \$0.01 par value per share							1,877	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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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exercises Expiration D		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	ofNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		Under Securi (Instr.	, ,	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Grech James C. 1000 CONSOL ENERGY DRIVE CANONSBURG, PA 15317

EVP & Chief Commercial Officer

Signatures

James C. Grech by Gregory V. Guinto, his attorney-in-fact

02/03/2016

**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) Represents shares withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability from the vesting of restricted stock units previously granted to
- (2) Of the 50,672 shares owned directly, 32,986 are restricted stock units (including dividend equivalent rights).

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