CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 MCCLENDON AUBREY K Issuer Symbol CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP (Check all applicable) [CHK] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 6100 N. WESTERN AVE. 08/03/2011 Chairman & CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73118 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	on Date 2A. Deemed /Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/03/2011		Code V G	Amount 1,160	(D)	Price \$ 0	3,069,263	D	
Common Stock	12/16/2011		G	2,500	D	\$ 0	3,091,890	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2011		A	1,514	A	\$ 22.29	3,093,719	D	
Common Stock	01/02/2012		F	69,218	D	\$ 22.29	3,024,501	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2012		F	26,063	D	\$ 23.6	2,998,438	D	

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Common Stock	13,670	I	by Partnership
Common Stock	1,095	I	by Son

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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. Transa Code (Instr.	etion	5. nNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MCCLENDON AUBREY K 6100 N. WESTERN AVE. OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73118	X		Chairman & CEO					
Signatures								

By: Marc D. Rome For: AUBREY K. 01/04/2012 **MCCLENDON**

**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).
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