#### GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INC

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* FERGUSON RANDALL C JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INC

(Check all applicable)

[GXP]

(Middle)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2016

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

C/O GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INCORPORATED, 1200 MAIN STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

KANSAS CITY, MO 64105

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

Code (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

1.200

Common Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

6,517 (1) D

I

Common

Stock

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	d 7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Director Deferred Share Units	(2)	03/29/2016		A	621 (2)	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	621	\$ 0 <u>(2</u>

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FERGUSON RANDALL C JR C/O GREAT PLAINS ENERGY INCORPORATED	X					
1200 MAIN STREET KANSAS CITY, MO 64105						

## **Signatures**

Executed on behalf of Randall C. Ferguson, Jr. by Jaileah X. Huddleston, attorney-in-fact

03/31/2016

\*\*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) Amount includes 7 shares acquired between December 29, 2015, and March 29, 2016, through participation in the Company's Dividend Reinvestment and Direct Stock Purchase Plan.
- Director Deferred Share units are granted under the Long-Term Incentive Plan. Each unit represents the right to receive one share of (2) Great Plains Energy Common Stock, plus stock reflecting reinvested dividends. Units are converted to stock and distributed following termination of service on the Board pursuant to elections made by the reporting person.
- (3) Amount includes 209 Director Deferred Share Units accrued from December 29, 2015, through March 29, 2016, through dividend reinvestment.

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