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1(b).

(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. 05/09/2006 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) Tal	ole I - Non-	Derivative :	Securi	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Benefici	ally 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)	, ,		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(IIIsu. +)	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		P	1,900	A	\$ 32.89	19,315,452	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		P	16,000	A	\$ 32.9	19,331,452	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		P	13,800	A	\$ 32.91	19,345,252	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		P	3,400	A	\$ 32.92	19,348,652	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006		P	3,300	A	\$ 32.93	19,351,952	D	

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Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	3,900	A	\$ 32.94	19,355,852	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	19,900	A	\$ 32.95	19,375,752	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	2,900	A	\$ 32.96	19,378,652	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	2,900	A	\$ 32.97	19,381,552	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	28,600	A	\$ 32.98	19,410,152	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	7,100	A	\$ 32.99	19,417,252	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	11,400	A	\$ 33	19,428,652	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	300	A	\$ 33.01	19,428,952	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	1,600	A	\$ 33.09	19,430,552	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	13,700	A	\$ 33.1	19,444,252	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	1,800	A	\$ 33.11	19,446,052	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	2,100	A	\$ 33.12	19,448,152	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	4,900	A	\$ 33.13	19,453,052	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	3,200	A	\$ 33.14	19,456,252	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	2,500	A	\$ 33.15	19,458,752	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	300	A	\$ 33.16	19,459,052	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	2,900	A	\$ 33.17	19,461,952	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	800	A	\$ 33.18	19,462,752	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	P	800	A	\$ 33.19	19,463,552	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006	M	600,000	A	\$ 5.56	20,063,552	D
	05/09/2006	M	250,000	A	\$ 4	20,313,552	D

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Common Stock								
Common Stock	05/09/2006	M	292,529	A	\$ 6.11	20,606,081	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006	M	287,310	A	\$ 5.2	20,893,391	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2006	M	195,161	A	\$ 7.8	21,088,552	D	
Common Stock						13,670	I	by Partnership

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	eci
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N Sl
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4	05/09/2006		M	250,000	05/04/2001	05/04/2010	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.2	05/09/2006		M	287,310	07/23/2003	07/23/2012	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.56	05/09/2006		M	600,000	11/07/2001	11/07/2010	Common Stock	6
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.11	05/09/2006		M	292,529	07/10/2002	07/10/2011	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.8	05/09/2006		M	195,161	01/08/2004	01/08/2013	Common Stock	1

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: Jennifer M. Grigsby For: Aub	rev K							

By: Jennifer M. Grigsby For: Aubrey K. McClendon

05/11/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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