

MILLER ENERGY RESOURCES, INC.  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 Giesler Carl Fredrick

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 MILLER ENERGY RESOURCES, INC. [MILL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 1001 LOUISIANA STREET, SUITE 3100  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/29/2016

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chief Executive Officer

HOUSTON, TX 77002

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |
| Common Stock  | 03/29/2016                           |  | J                              |   | 100,000   | D  | \$ 0<br>(1)   |
| 10.75% Series C Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock | 03/29/2016                           |  | J                              |   | 10,500  | D  | \$ 0<br>(1)   |

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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| OPTION                                     | \$ 4.35  | 03/29/2016                           |  | J                              | 500,000   | 09/14/2016 <sup>(1)</sup> 09/14/2024 <sup>(1)</sup>      | Common Stock 50   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 4.35  | 03/29/2016                           |  | J                              | 500,000   | 09/14/2015 <sup>(1)</sup> 09/14/2024 <sup>(1)</sup>      | Common Stock 50   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 4.35  | 03/29/2016                           |  | J                              | 500,000   | 09/14/2014 <sup>(1)</sup> 09/14/2024 <sup>(1)</sup>      | Common Stock 50   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| Giesler Carl Fredrick<br>1001 LOUISIANA STREET, SUITE 3100<br>HOUSTON, TX 77002 | X             |           | Chief Executive Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Carl F. Giesler 03/29/2016

\*\*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) Pursuant to the Issuer's Plan of Reorganization Pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, which was confirmed by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Alaska and became effective on March 29, 2016 (the "Plan"), all equity interests in the Issuer (including common stock and preferred stock, and derivative securities with respect thereto) that were outstanding prior to effectiveness were cancelled.

### Remarks:

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This report is being filed to report the cancellation of the reporting person's Common and Preferred Stock, and other derivative

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