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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

Form 5

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SIPICS JOHN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

PPL CORP [PPL]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle) (Last) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

01/26/2006

below) below) President of a PPL Subsidiary

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

(Instr. 8)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

ALLENTOWN, PA 18101

TWO N. NINTH STREET

(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)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.14	01/26/2006		A	57,470		<u>(1)</u>	01/25/2016	Common Stock	57,470
Stock Unit (ICP)	(2)	01/26/2006		A	9,060		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	9,060
Stock Unit (ICP - Cash Incentive Premium Exchange Program)	(2)	01/26/2006		A	9,600		(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	9,600

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
- 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SIPICS JOHN F TWO N. NINTH STREET ALLENTOWN, PA 18101			President of a PPL Subsidiary					
Signatures								

/s/Thomas D. Salus, as Attorney-In-Fact for John F. 01/30/2006 **Sipics**

> **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) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on 01/26/2007.
- No conversion or exercise price applies. Under the terms of the Incentive Compensation Plan (ICP), a restricted stock unit converts to a share of common stock on the applicable vesting date.
- (3) The units will vest on 01/26/2009.
- (4) These restricted stock units were granted in connection with the Cash Incentive Premium Exchange Program under the Incentive Compensation Plan (ICP). Pursuant to this program, an executive officer may elect to exchange all or any portion of his cash incentive

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compensation for restricted stock units equal in value at the time of the grant to 140% of the cash so exchanged.

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