

PRIMEENERGY CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND  
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Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES  
IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	4. Statement for Month/Year	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
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Smeets, Jan	PrimeEnergy Corporation PNRG	April, 2002	
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/X/ Director

(Last), (First)

// Officer

// 10% Owner

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3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) 013-46-0934

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year) N/A

One Landmark Square  
11<sup>th</sup> Floor

// Other (specify below)

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(Street)

Stamford, CT 06901

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing

(Check Applicable)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

/X/ Form filed by One Reporting Person

// Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (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 at End of Month (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)			
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	4/10/02	S		6,000	(D)	\$8.00	248,732	(D)	
Common Stock, \$.10 par value	No Change						7,500	(I)	(1)


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)	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 Securities (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	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 2,500 shares held of record by Mr. Smeets for each of his three minor children UGMA.

/s/ Jan K. Smeets

5/6/02

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Jan K. Smeets

Reminder:

Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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).

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