DUGAN MARIELLEN

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DUGAN MARIELLEN**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORP

(Check all applicable)

[NJR]

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

Director 10% Owner

Sr. V.P. and General Counsel

(Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2012

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORPORATION, 1415 WYCKOFF

(Street)

ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Issuer

WALL, NJ 07719

(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

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Month/Day/Year)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

02/13/2012

Code V Amount (D) Price P 310

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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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	nt of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
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					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DUGAN MARIELLEN C/O NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORPORATION 1415 WYCKOFF ROAD WALL, NJ 07719

Sr. V.P. and General Counsel

Signatures

Rhonda M. Figueroa - Attorney-in-Fact (POA on File)

02/13/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) Total includes an accural of 19.667 shares of New Jersey Resources Corporation (NJR) Common Stock through the NJR Dividend Reinvestment Plan (DRP).

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