

Pappajohn Steve
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FORM 4

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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 *
Pappajohn Steve

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TORRENT ENERGY CORP
[TREN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
21514 SE 254TH PLACE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/22/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Dir/President of Subsidiary

MAPLE VALLEY, WA 98038

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common shares | 02/22/2006 | | J ⁽¹⁾ | 225,000 A \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ | 660,000 | D | |

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 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| Stock Options | \$ 0.5 | | | | | 08/03/2004 ⁽²⁾ 08/03/2009 | Common 45,000 | |
| Stock Options | \$ 1.25 | | | | | 04/01/2005 ⁽³⁾ 04/01/2010 | Common 200,000 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-----------------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Pappajohn Steve 21514 SE 254TH PLACE MAPLE VALLEY, WA 98038 | | | | Dir/President of Subsidiary |

Signatures

/s/ Steve Pappajohn
03/21/2006
Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Mr. Pappajohn received these shares as the third tranche issuance of shares under a Lease Purchase and Sale Agreement dated May 11, 2004, as amended June 11, 2004 among the Issuer, Methane Energy Corp. and GeoTrends-Hampton International LLC.
- (2) The options vest as to 25% on the date of grant and 25% every six months so that all options are vested by December 31, 2005.
- (3) The options vest as to 25% on the date of grant and 25% every six months so that all options are vested by September 17, 2006.

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