Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Raven Ricky Anthony					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTERPOINT ENERGY INC [CNP]									heck all app	tionship of Reporting F all applicable) Director		10% Ov	vner	
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (f	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2024									Office below	er (give title v)		Other (s below)	specify
1111 LOUISIANA					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
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		Table	I - Nor	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or l	Ben	eficia	ally Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				Execution		Date,	3. Transa Code (8)		Disposed (es Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		(A) or 3, 4 a	nd Securi Benefi	ties cially I Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price	Transa	ection(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			05/01/	2024			Α		5,798(1)		A \$0		9,584			D		
	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)	if any	med on Date, Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv	r osed) r. 3, 4	Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		f g	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y Di or (I)	O. Dwnership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code V (A)		(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date Title Amou		mber						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares of common stock granted under the Issuer's Stock Plan for Outside Directors, as amended and restated.

Remarks:

Vincent A. Mercaldi, 05/03/2024 Attorney-in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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