#### WEYERS LARRY L

Form 4

January 16, 2007

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad WEYERS LA	•	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol WPS RESOURCES CORP [WPS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(			
700 NORTH ADAMS STREET, P. O. BOX 19001			(Month/Day/Year) 01/15/2007	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman, President, and CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
GREEN BAY, WI 54307-9001			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqu	tired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed c	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/15/2007		Code V $J_{(1)}^{(1)}$	Amount 581	(D)	Price \$ 0	9,089	D	
Common Stock	01/15/2007		<u>J(1)</u>	581	D	\$0	1,277.4839	I	By ESOP
Common Stock	01/15/2007		J(2)	209.895	A	<u>(3)</u>	1,487.3789	I	By ESOP

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$ 

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. DiNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 34.09 ( <u>4)</u>					12/13/2002	12/13/2011	Common Stock	86,
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 34.75 (5)					12/14/2001	12/14/2010	Common Stock	48,
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 37.96 (6)					12/12/2003	12/12/2012	Common Stock	99,
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 44.73 (7)					12/10/2004	12/10/2013	Common Stock	97,
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 48.11 (8)					12/08/2005	12/08/2014	Common Stock	111
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 52.73 (9)					12/07/2007	12/07/2016	Common Stock	123
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 54.85 (10)					12/07/2006	12/07/2015	Common Stock	121
Performance Rights	\$ 0 (11)					01/01/2007(12)	06/30/2007	Common Stock	13,

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Performance Rights	\$ 0 <u>(11)</u>	01/01/2008(12)	06/30/2008	Common Stock	12.
Performance Rights	\$ 0 <u>(11)</u>	01/01/2009(12)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	16,
Performance Rights	\$ 0 <u>(11)</u>	01/01/2010(12)	06/30/2010	Common Stock	15,
Phantom Stock Unit	(13)	(14)	(15)	Common Stock	54,20

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Ketationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
WEYERS LARRY L					
700 NORTH ADAMS STREET	X		Chairman Brasidant and CEO		
P. O. BOX 19001	Λ		Chairman, President, and CEO		
GREEN BAY, WI 54307-9001					

# **Signatures**

By: Barth J. Wolf For: Larry L. Weyers 01/16/2007

\*\*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) Reflects shares transferred from the company's ESOP program directly to the individual on March 6, 2006. The transfer of these shares to joint trust on April 10, 2006, was voluntarily reported on June 20, 2006.
- (2) Reflects shares allocated by the company's ESOP program throughout 2006. This transaction is being voluntarily reported.
- (3) Reflects shares allocated by the company's ESOP program throughout 2006. This transaction is being voluntarily reported.
- (4) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 13, 2002.
- (5) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 14, 2001.
- (6) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 12, 2003.
- (7) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 10, 2004.
- (8) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 8, 2005.
- (9) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 7, 2007.
- (10) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 7, 2006.
- (11) Performance shares vest and are issued three years after the performance shares are awarded and the final number of shares issued is determined based on company performance against an established industry benchmark.
- (12) Performance shares vest and are issued three years after the performance shares are awarded and the final number of shares issued is determined based on company performance against an established industry benchmark.
- (13) These phantom stock units convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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