FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  NRG ENERGY, INC.						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NRG Yield, Inc. [NYLD]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
INKG ENEKGI, INC.														Director		X	10% Ow	ner	
				_ [										Officer (g	ive title		Other (s	pecify	
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									below)			below)		
C/O NRG YIELD, INC.						08/31/2018													
211 CARNEGIE CENTER																			
(Street)				_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City)	(	State)	(Zip)																
			Table I - Non-	Deriva	ative	Sec	urities Ad	cquired, I	Disp	osed (	of, or Be	nefic	ially C	wned					
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			(e	.g., pı	uts, c	alls	, warrants	s, option	s, c	onverti	ible seci	urities	5)						
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. Transa Code ( 8)		Deri Sec Acq Disp	umber of vative urities uired (A) or oosed of (D) tr. 3, 4 and	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		ying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reported Transact	ve es ally eg d	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
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Class B Units of NRG Yield LLC	(1)	08/31/2018		J <sup>(2)</sup>			42,738,750	(1)		(1)	Class A Common Stock	42,738,750		(2)	0		D		
Class D Units of NRG	(1)	08/31/2018		J <sup>(2)</sup>			42,738,750	(1)		(1)	Class C Common Stock	42,73	38,750	(2)	0		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Pursuant to an amended and restated exchange agreement, dated May 14, 2015 (the "Exchange Agreement"), the Class B Units of NRG Yield LLC ("Class B Units") are exchangeable at any time for shares of Class A Common Stock of the Issuer ("Class A Common Stock"), and the Class D Units of NRG Yield LLC ("Class D Units") are exchangeable at any time for shares of Class C Common Stock of the Issuer ("Class C Common Stock"), in each case on a one-for-one basis, subject to equitable adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications. Pursuant to the Exchange Agreement, as Class B Units are exchanged for shares of Class A Common Stock and as Class D Units are exchanged for shares of Class D Common Stock of the Issuer ("Class B Common Stock"), respectively, will automatically be cancelled.

2. On August 31, 2018, NRG Repowering Holdings LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Reporting Person (together with the Reporting Person, the "NRG Parties"), sold 100% of the outstanding membership interests of Zephyr Renewables LLC (the "Company"), pursuant to a purchase and sale agreement, dated February 6, 2018, for total consideration of approximately \$1,347,000,000. At the time of sale, the Company owned (i) 100% of the Class B Common Stock and 100% of the Class D Common Stock and (ii) 100% of the Class B Units and 100% of the Class D Units.

/s/ Brian Curci, Authorized Representative

08/31/2018

\*\* 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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