

RYAN JOHN J III
 Form 4/A
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FORM 4/A

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or
 Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

/ / Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. SEE Instruction 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person:

RYAN III	JOHN	J.
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)

13 AVENUE DE BUDE

 (Street)

1202 GENEVA	SWITZERLAND	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol:

EVERGREEN RESOURCES, INC. ("EVG")

3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary):

4. Statement for Month/Day/Year:

12/31/02

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year):

12/31/02

6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer (Check all applicable):

Director	(X)
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Officer (give title below) ()
 10% Owner ()
 Other (specify below) ()

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

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

TABLE I - NON-DERIVATIVE SECURITIES ACQUIRED, DISPOSED OF,
 OR BENEFICIALLY OWNED

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3):	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if (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 at End of Month (Instr. 3 & 4)	6. Owne Form Direc or Indi (Ins
COMMON STOCK, NO PAR	12/31/02	N/A	G(1) V	276,000 D	N/A	
					580,240	D
					87,800	I(2)
					TOTAL	668,040(3)

(1) Mr. Ryan has resigned as Trustee for his childrens' family trust as of December 31, 2002, term and the 276,000 shares held in trust are being distributed to Mr. Ryan's children, the beneficiaries.
 (2) As Trustee of Mr. Ryan's Pension and Insurance Trusts.
 (3) On December 31, 2002, a Form 4 was filed which incorrectly indicated the reporting person's total ownership beneficially as 688,040. The correct total ownership is 668,040 shares.

*If the Form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(over)

FORM 4/A (continued) (JOHN J. RYAN III)

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. Conver- sion or Exer- cise Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity	3.. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any 4. (Month /Day /Year) Code (Instr. 8) Code V	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr.3, 4 and 5) ----- (A) (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ----- Date Exer- cisable	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) ----- Amount or Number of Shares Title	8. Pric of Deri ativ Secu ity (Ins 5)
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Explanation of Responses:

/S/ John J. Ryan III

January 3, 2003

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. SEE 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, SEE Instruction 6 for procedure.

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