BICKLE LARRY W

Form 4

December 31, 2008

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BICKLE LARRY W**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

Symbol UNISOURCE ENERGY CORP

12/29/2008

(Check all applicable)

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(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

1 S. CHURCH AVENUE, SUITE

(Street)

201

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Zip)

TUCSON, AZ 85701

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Derivative

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Conversion

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pri Underlying Securities Deriv

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | ies ed ed | | (Instr. 3 and | 4) | Secur (Instr |
|----------------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--|------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (I | D) Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Dividend Equivalent Rights | (1) | 12/29/2008 | | A | 20.2 | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 20.2 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| • | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| BICKLE LARRY W 1 S. CHURCH AVENUE SUITE 201 TUCSON, AZ 85701 | X | | | | | |

Signatures

Amy J. Welander, Attorney in Fact 12/31/2008

**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) Deferred Shares issuable pursuant to dividend equivalent rights on outstanding equity awards will be paid in stock at a future time in accordance with an election made by the Director at the time of the original equity award.

Remarks:

EXHIBIT LIST: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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