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Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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ISSUER

ENERGYSOUTH INC

CIK: **1051286** | IRS No.: **582358943** | State of Incorporation: **AL** | Fiscal Year End: **0930**
SIC: **4924** Natural gas distribution

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REPORTING OWNER

MITCHELL S FELTON JR

CIK: **1059343**
Type: **4** | Act: **34** | File No.: **000-29604** | Film No.: **05788957**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|--|---------|----------|--|--|--|---|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person MITCHELL S FELTON JR | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ENERGYSOUTH INC [ENSI] | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2005 | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
| P.O. BOX 2607, ATTN: MRS. MARTHA LOPER | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | |
| (Street) MOBILE, AL 36652 | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (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 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|------------|-------|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 2,250.8499 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 4,474.7775 | I | Trust ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 444.051 | I | Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 6,784.481 | I | IRA |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 1,132.962 | I | Spouse's IRA ⁽³⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 1 | I | Spouse & Daughter ⁽⁴⁾ |

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) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|-----|--|-----------------|---|----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Phantom Stock | ⁽⁵⁾ | 04/01/2005 | | <u>A</u> | | 118.6203 ⁽⁶⁾ | | ⁽⁷⁾ | ⁽⁷⁾ | Common Stock | 118.6203 | \$27.92 | 16,678.0361 | D | |
| Phantom Stock | ⁽⁵⁾ | 04/29/2005 | | <u>A</u> | | 282.5923 ⁽⁷⁾ | | ⁽⁷⁾ | ⁽⁷⁾ | Common Stock | 282.5923 | \$26.54 | 16,960.6284 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Mitchell Family Trust, S. Felton Mitchell, Trustee.
2. Reporting party is the sole Trustee and Beneficiary of the Betty M. Harper Memorial Trust.
3. Reporting party disclaims any beneficial ownership of these securities.
4. This account is held in the name of Shellie M. Flenniken & L. Ann Mitchell, as joint tenants with right of survivorship.
5. One-for-One
6. Dividend - Based Allocation
7. The shares of phantom stock acquired pursuant to Amended and Restated Non-Employee Directors Deferred Fee Plan; payable in cash in installments beginning 2007.

Signatures

/s/ S. Felton Mitchell, Jr.

** Signature of Reporting Person

05/02/2005

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).

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