NUTTER WALLACE LEE

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NUTTER WALLACE LEE | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NISOURCE INC/DE [NI] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|--|--|----------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Chech all application) | | |
| 801 E 86TH AVENUE | | | (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2012 | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Ch | | |
| MERRILLVILLE, IN 46410-6272 | | | 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 | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secui | rities Acq | uired, 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. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | ispose | d 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 | 12/19/2012 | | P | 60 | A | \$ 24.77 (2) | 118,530.542 (1) | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/20/2012 | | P | 185 | A | \$ 25 | 118,715.542 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/24/2012 | | P | 18 | A | \$ 24.88 | 118,804.542 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/26/2012 | | P | 104 | A | \$ 24.91 | 118,908.542 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/27/2012 | | P | 48 | A | \$ 24.54 | 118,956.542 | D | |

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| Common Stock | 12/28/2012 | P | 90 | A | \$ 24.75 | 119,046.542 | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|-----|---|--------------------|-------------|---|
| Common Stock | 12/31/2012 | P | 100 | A | \$ 24.66 | 119,146.542 | D |
| Common Stock | 01/07/2013 | P | 141 | A | \$ 25.19 (3) | 119,287.542 | D |
| Common Stock | 01/08/2013 | P | 91 | A | \$ 24.96 | 119,378.542 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/21/2012 | P | 71 | A | \$ 25 (4) | 118,786.542 | D |

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)

| 1. Title Deriva | tive Co | onversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transactio | | 6. Date Exerc Expiration D | ate | 7. Title and A Underlying S | Securities | 8. Pric Deriva |
|----------------------|-------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|---|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Securit (Instr. 3 | 3) Pr De | Exercise rice of erivative ecurity | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4 | 4) | Securi (Instr. |
| | | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Phant Stock | | \$ 0 | | | | | (5) | <u>(5)</u> | Common Stock | 26,379.68 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Keiationsnips | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| NUTTER WALLACE LEE 801 E 86TH AVENUE MERRILLVILLE, IN 46410-6272 | X | | | | | | |

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Signatures

/s/ Samuel K. Lee, attorney-in-fact for Wallace L.
Nutter 04/17/2013

**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) Shares reported in Column 5 includes shares of common stock and restricted stock units (and dividend equivalents thereon through the most recent dividend payment date immediately prior to the date of filing of this Form).
- (2) The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$24.71 \$24.81, inclusive.
- (3) The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$25.17 \$25.25, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$24.98 \$25.01, inclusive.
- (5) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under the NiSource Inc. 2010 Omnibus Incentive Plan and are to be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service.

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