PETERS JERRY L								
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to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES						Estimated a burden hour response	verage	
1(b).Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,Form 3 HoldingsSection 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or SectionReported30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940TransactionsReported								
PETERS JERRY L Sy		2. Issuer Name and Tic Symbol Green Plains Rener [GPRE]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (Fire	t) (Middle)	<ul> <li>3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended</li> <li>(Month/Day/Year)</li> <li>12/31/2011</li> </ul>			Director 10% Owner 0/ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
9420 UNDERWOOD AVE., SUITE 100 Chief Financial Officer								
(Stre	4. If Amendment, Date Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Original		6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting				
(check applicable line)								
OMAHA, NE 6	8114				_X_ Form Filed by C Form Filed by M Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) <b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>								
	action Date 2A. Deem Day/Year) Execution any (Month/D	Date, if Transaction Code		es Acquired posed of (D and 5)	) Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
-			Amount	(A) or (D) Pric	Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common 03/07/2 Stock	2011 Â	A4 <u>(1)</u>	25,000	A \$0	63,929	D	Â	
Common 03/07/2 Stock	2011 Â	F4 <u>(2)</u>	1,966	D \$ 12.1	61,963	D	Â	

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 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)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Of So Bo En Is Fi (I
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships					
	Director 10% Owner		Officer	Other		
PETERS JERRY L 9420 UNDERWOOD AVE., SUITE 100 OMAHA, NE 68114	Â	Â	Chief Financial Officer	Â		

## Signatures

/s/ Jerry Peters	03/11/2011
<u>**</u> 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) Date at which first vesting occurs is indicated. One-quarter of the total shares vest at the grant date and an additional 1/4 vest on each of the next three anniversaries thereafter.
- (2) Disposition reported represents tax withholding on portion of grant that vests on date indicated.

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