FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Last) (First) C/O CVR ENERGY, INC. 2277 PLAZA DRIVE, SUI			2 0			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CVR ENERGY INC [ CVI ]							heck all ap Dire	. ,		Owner er (specify
22// PLAZA DRIVE, 50.	11E 500	C/O CVR ENERGY, INC.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2010							^ belo	w) `	belo Acq. & Pet	N) .	
2277 PLAZA DRIVE, SUITE 500  (Street) SUGAR LAND TX 77479			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D			Execution		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						d Secur Benef	icially d Following	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	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(man. 4)	
Common Stock 12/31				/2010			A		14,526	(1)	A	\$0	) 3	31,935	D	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The restricted common stock granted to Mr. Jernigan will vest in three annual installments, with 4,842 shares vesting on each of December 31, 2011, December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2013.

## Susan M. Ball, Attorney-in-fact 01/04/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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