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Issuer

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Genie Energy Ltd. [GNE]

Symbol

1(b).

\$.01 par value per

(Print or Type Responses)

PUPKIN CLAUDE

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			Genic Energy Eta. [GIVE]						(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O GENIE ENERGY LTD., 550 BROAD STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2014					Director 10% Owner SVP & Former CEO		
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
NEWARK, NJ 07102				•					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
	(City)	(State)	urities Acqu	equired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Oper Disposition (Instr. 3,	sed of		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)
	Series 2012-A Preferred Stock, \$.01 par value per share								1,250	D	
	Class B Common Stock,	01/06/2014			F	7,125 (1)	D	\$ 10.1606	60,806 (2)	D	

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share

Class B Common Stock,

\$.01 par value per share

 $6,420^{(3)}$

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By Individual Retirement Account

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 2. 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security

5. TransactionNumber Code of (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,

6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

Date

8. Price of Amount of Underlying Security Securities (Instr. 5) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Amount or Expiration Title Number

of Shares

Code V (A) (D)

4, and 5)

Date Exercisable

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PUPKIN CLAUDE C/O GENIE ENERGY LTD. 550 BROAD STREET

SVP & Former CEO

Signatures

NEWARK, NJ 07102

Joyce J. Mason, by Power of

01/08/2014 Attorney Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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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) The Company required the sale of these shares to cover tax withholding obligations. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Section 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 16, 2013.
- (2) Includes 12,487 unvested shares of the Company's Class B Common Restricted Stock, all of which vest on November 3, 2014.
- (3) Includes 1,070 shares previously owned through a 401(k) plan that were rolled over into an Individual Retirement Account on March 7, 2012.

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