FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and A Ciesinski		porting Person*	2. Date of E Requiring S (Month/Day 07/02/202	statement /Year)	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  Essential Utilities, Inc. [ WTRG ]						
(Last) 762 W. LAI (Street) BRYN MAWR	Street) BRYN PA 19010				4. Relationship of Reportification (Check all applicable)  X Director Officer (give title below)	10% C	Person(s) to  10% Owner  Other (specify below)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr 4)	.   Form: I (D) or I			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Underlying Derivative (Instr. 4)		4. Convers or Exerc Price of		5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Dunt Derivative Security		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	3)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

No securities are beneficially owned.

Renee Marquis

07/12/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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 5 (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).

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