FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     DUGINSKI MICHAEL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  BERRY PETROLEUM CO [ BRY ]  5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  V Officer (give title Other (specify													
		st) ( LEUM COMPA SUITE 3700	Middle) NY				of Earlie 2013	st Tra	nsaction (Mo	onth/[	Day/Year)			x below)	Exec. V	P & (	below)	specify	
(Street)  DENVER	CO	) {	30202		4. If	4. 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					
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Zip)											Person						
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	/ative	Se	curiti	ies A	cquired,	Dis	posed of,	or Ben	eficially	/ Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Tran Date (Month					action Day/Yea	Execut		on Dat	Code (		4. Securities Acquired ( Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3			Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(11301.4)		
Class A Co	ommon Stoc	ck		04/01	04/01/2013				A	V	75 <sup>(5)</sup>	A	\$46.28	2 43,	285	D			
Class A Co	ommon Stoo	ck		07/01	7/01/2013				A	V	81(5)	A	\$42.4	43,366		D			
Class A Co		09/30/2013		3			J	v	951(6)	A	\$0	17,456			I	Held in 401(k) Plan			
Class A Common Stock				09/30	0/2013				A	V	81(5)	A \$42		2 43,	447	D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative		Date,	4. Transac Code (I 8)		n of Ex		Expiration	6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 ar	ies g Security nd 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally g i	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12- 05-03	\$9.97				Ì				12/05/200	4	12/05/2013	Class A Common Stock	20,000		20,00	00	D		
Nonstatutory Stock Option 11- 23-04	\$21.58								11/23/200	5	11/23/2014	Class A Common Stock	70,000		70,00	00	D		
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12- 15-05	\$30.645								12/15/200	6	12/15/2015	Class A Common Stock	50,000		50,00	00	D		
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12- 15-06	\$32.565								12/15/200	7	12/14/2016	Class A Common Stock	56,000		56,00	00	D		
2007 Restricted Stock Unit <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>								12/14/2008	(3)	12/13/2017 <sup>(4)</sup>	Class A Common Stock	7,224		7,22	4	D		
NSO 2007	\$43.61								12/14/200	8	12/13/2017	Class A Common Stock	36,133		36,13	33	D		
2008 Restricted Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>								12/12/2009	(3)	12/11/2018 <sup>(4)</sup>	Class A Common Stock	56,000		56,00	00	D		
2009 Restricted Stock Units	\$0								12/11/201	0	12/11/2019	Class A Common Stock	42,919		42,91	19	D		
March 2011 Employee RSU Grant	\$0								03/02/201	2	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	12,887		12,88	37	D		

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)		Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivative			6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo	te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Statutory Stock Option 3-2- 2011 - \$48.50	\$48.5							03/02/2012	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	14,790		14,790	D	
Perf Based RSU 3-2- 2011	\$0							12/31/2013	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	11,275		11,275	D	
March 2, 2012 Employee RSU Grant	\$0							03/02/2013	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	8,842		8,842	D	
Non Statutory Stock Option 3-2- 12	\$53.02							03/02/2013	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	13,914		13,914	D	
Perf Based RSUs 3-2-12	\$0							12/31/2014	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	10,314		10,314	D	
March 4, 2013 Employee RSU Grant	\$0							03/04/2014	03/04/2023	Class A Common Stock	27,145		27,145	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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- 2. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Berry Petroleum Company Class A Common Stock
- 3. The RSU granted vest 25% per year beginning one year after grant but the receipt of shares are subject to a deferral period which is generally at least four years from grant date as per the deferral election.
- 4. The RSU is subject to a deferral election. Shares of Class A Common Stock will be delivered to the reporting person as per the terms of the deferral election.
- 5. Increase in shares from the reinvestment of dividends paid quarterly on common stock. All shares were purchased at market and were non-discretionary.
- 6. Shares of Common Stock acquired by the reporting person in the Company's 401(k) Plan. All transactions were at market and were non-discretionary.

Kenneth A Olson under POA for Michael Duginski 10/02/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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