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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] HEINEMANN ROBERT						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>BERRY PETROLEUM CO</u> [BRY]										ationship of k all applica Director						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY 1999 BROADWAY, SUITE 3700						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2013										below)			,	vecify		
(Street) DENVER CO 80202							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 Person					
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Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa. Date (Month/D.)						n	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		ate,	a, 3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of			or 5. Amount		y (D)		n: Direct I or Indirect I nstr. 4) (7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	(A) or (D) Pri		Transactio (Instr. 3 an	n(s) d 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Class A Co	ommon Stoo	zk														306,053		D				
Class A Common Stock																15,417			I 4	Held in 401(k) Plan		
				(e.g.,	puts		ls, wa	arrar	nts, o	ption	s, c	onvertib	le secu	ritie	s)							
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)				ransaction ode (Instr.)		of		te Exerc ation Da th/Day/Y	ate	le and of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (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)	Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date	cisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	or Nun	ount 1ber hares							
Nonstatutory Stock Option 11- 23-04	\$21.58								11/2	3/2005	1	1/23/2014	Class A Common Stock	100),000		100,0	00	D			
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12- 15-05	\$30.645								12/1	5/2006	1	2/15/2015	Class A Common Stock	150),000		150,000		D			
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12- 15-06	\$32.565								12/1	5/2007	1	2/14/2016	Class A Common Stock	175	5,000		175,000		D			
2007 Restricted Stock Unit ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽²⁾								12/14	/2008 ⁽³⁾	12/	'13/2017 ⁽⁴⁾	Class A Common Stock	17	,886		17,88	86	D			
NSO 2007	\$43.61								12/1	4/2008	1	2/13/2017	Class A Common Stock	89	,470		89,43	70	D			
2008 Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽²⁾								12/12	/2009 ⁽³⁾	12	/11/2018 ⁽⁴⁾	Class A Common Stock	138	3,667		138,6	67	D			
2009 Restricted Stock Units	\$0								12/1	1/2010	1	2/11/2019	Class A Common Stock	97	,034		97,03	34	D			
March 2011 Employee RSU Grant	\$0								03/0	2/2012	0	3/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	14	,433		14,43	33	D	<u> </u>		
Non- Statutory Stock Option 3-2- 2011 - \$48.50	\$48.5								03/0	2/2012	0	3/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	33	,129		33,1:	29	D			
Perf Based RSU 3-2- 2011	\$0								12/3	1/2013	0	3/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	25	,257		25,25	57	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)	4. Transa Code (8)		n of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 ar	ies g Security	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			Amount or Number of Shares				
Perf Based RSUs 3-2-12	\$0							12/31/2014	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	23,104		23,104	D	
March 2, 2012 Employee RSU Grant	\$0							03/02/2013	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	19,805		19,805	D	
Non Statutory Stock Option 3-2- 12	\$53.02							03/02/2013	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	31,167		31,167	D	
March 4, 2013 Employee RSU Grant	\$0							03/04/2014	03/04/2023	Class A Common Stock	60,804		60,804	D	
Phantom Stock Units	\$0	09/30/2013		A		6 ⁽⁵⁾		08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Class A Common Stock	3,235	\$43.13	3,241	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. Phantom Stock Units acquired under the Company's Non-Employee Director Deferred Compensation Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(c). Shares of Common Stock are issued under terms of the Plan upon resignation from the board of directors.

Kenneth A Olson under POA for Robert Heinemann

09/30/2013

** 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 4 (b)(v).

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