JONES MAUREEN A

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading JONES MAUREEN A Issuer Symbol PETROLEUM & RESOURCES (Check all applicable) CORP [PEO] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 7 ST PAUL STREET, STE 1140 10/17/2007 VP, CFO & Treasurer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BALTIMORE, MD 21202

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form:	Beneficial
(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D)	Ownership
Following or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
Reported (I)	
(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	
or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price	
Common 10/17/2007 M 2,952 A \$ 2,952 D	
Stock 10/17/2007 W 2,932 A 19.0038 2,932 B	
	Direct and
Common 10/17/2007 M 2.052 P 0/12/20 5.062 (1)	
stock 10/17/2007 M 2,952 D \$ 42.22 5,862 (1) I	Indirect
Stock -	<u>(1)</u>

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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock options w/tandem SARs	\$ 19.0038	10/17/2007		M		2,952	01/11/2003	01/11/2011	Common Stock	2,952

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JONES MAUREEN A 7 ST PAUL STREET STE 1140

VP, CFO & Treasurer

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

Signatures

Maureen A. Jones 10/18/2007

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Of these shares, 3028 are held directly, 2,693 are held indirectly through the Issuer's Thrift Plan Trust (as of 12/31/2006, the most recent date such information is available), and 141 are held indirectly through the Adams Express Company Thrift Plan Trust (as of 12/31/2006, the most recent date such information is available).

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