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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

Common

Stock

10/08/2008

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading NELSON LYLE R Issuer Symbol PetroHunter Energy Corp [PHUN] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 1600 STOUT STREET, #2000 10/08/2008 below) below) Sr. VP Operations & Production (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 DENVER, CO 80202 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Ownership (Instr. 8) (D) or Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

200,000

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Dr.Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.1					<u>(1)</u>	08/11/2011	Common Stock	750,000	
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.5					(2)	05/21/2012	Common Stock	250,000	
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.2					(3)	10/17/2012	Common Stock	265,000	
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.22					<u>(4)</u>	08/25/2013	Common Stock	275,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NELSON LYLE R 1600 STOUT STREET, #2000 DENVER, CO 80202

Sr. VP Operations & Production

Signatures

Lyle R. Nelson 10/09/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 20% were exercisable upon date of grant (August 11, 2006), 20% become exercisable on August 10, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.
- Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 60% were exercisable upon date of grant (May 21, 2007) and 20% became exercisable on May 21, 2008 and the remaining 20% become exercisable on May 21, 2009.

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Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 20% were exercisable upon date of grant (October 17, 2007), 20% become exercisable on October 17, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011.

(4) Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 20% were exercisable upon date of grant (August 25, 2008), 20% become exercisable on August 25, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.

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