APACHE CORP Form 4 February 24, 2015

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PEPER CHERI L

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2000 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

APACHE CORP [APA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

02/20/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Corporate Secretary 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

below)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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Director X_ Officer (give title

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

HOUSTON, TX 77056

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

> Reported (A) Transaction(s) (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)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date **Underlying Securities** Deri Code Security or Exercise any Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Secu

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	8)	Acquire (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	d of					(Inst
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock / Units (1)	\$ 0 (2)	02/20/2015		A		1,561		(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	1,561	\$
Restricted Stock / Units (1)	\$ 0 (2)	02/23/2015		A		642		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	642	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PEPER CHERI L 2000 POST OAK BLVD. SUITE 100

Corporate Secretary

HOUSTON, TX 77056

Signatures

Cheri L. Peper 02/24/2015

**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) With tandem tax withholding right
- (2) One share of Apache common stock for each restricted stock unit.
- 2014 Business Performance Program under 2011 Omnibus Equity Compensation Plan with performance period ended 12/31/2014. Final (3) number of RSUs determined 02/18/2015, with vesting 50% as of 12/31/2016 and 50% as of 12/31/2017. Data received from the plan administrator on 02/20/2015.
- (4) Restricted stock units granted 02/19/2015 under employer plan data provided by plan adminitrator on 02/23/2015. The units vest 1/3 on each of 03/01/2016, 02/19/2017, and 02/19/2018.

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