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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).									
(Print or Type)	Responses)								
1. Name and A Stice Travis	Address of Reporting s D.	8				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Check					all applicable)	
(Mo			(Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chief Executive Officer		
	4. If Amendment, D Filed(Month/Day/Yea	Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution D any	Date, if Transactic Code (/Year) (Instr. 8)	e, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/18/2015		М	25,000	A	\$ 17.5	120,777	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2015		S	24,900	D	\$ 78.7295 (1)	95,877	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2015		S	100	D	\$ 79.5	95,777	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) A) d of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 E S (1
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.5	05/18/2015		М	25,000 (2)	(2)	04/18/2016	Common Stock	25,000 (2)	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Stice Travis D. 500 WEST TEXAS, SUITE 1200 MIDLAND, TX 79701	Х		Chief Executive Officer				
Signatures							

Signatures

/s/ Randall J. Holder as attorney-in-fact for Travis D. Stice

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/20/2015

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).

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$78.50 to \$79.46, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Diamondback Energy, Inc., any security holder of Diamondback

- (1) The reporting person undertakes to provide to Diamondoack Energy, inc., any security noder of Diamondoack Energy, inc., any security noder of Diamondoack Energy, inc., any security noder of Diamondoack at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (2) All of these options to purchase 25,000 shares of common stock of the issuer vested on April 18, 2015.
- (3) The remaining options to purchase 50,000 shares of common stock vested on April 18, 2015.

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