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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Hadden Stephen J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BERRY PETROLEUM CO [BRY] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)													
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 1999 BROADWAY, SUITE 3700						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2012								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
1999 BROADWAT, SUITE 3700						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
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		Ta	ble I - Nor	ı-Deriv	vativ	/e Se	curities	Ac	quired,	Dis	posed of	, or Ben	eficiall	y Owned					
Date					2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 5)				and Securities Beneficially Owned Follow		Form: (D) or	: Direct II r Indirect E str. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)			
	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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	c	ransa Code (I		Derivative		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)				
March 2011 Director RSU ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽²⁾								03/03/2012	2 ⁽³⁾	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	2,499		2,499)	D		
March 2 2012 Director RSU Grant ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽²⁾	03/02/2012			A		2,264 ⁽⁴⁾		03/02/2012	2 ⁽⁴⁾	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	2,264	\$0	2,264	ı	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- $2.\ Each\ RSU\ represents\ a\ contingent\ right\ to\ receive\ one\ share\ of\ Berry\ Petroleum\ Company\ Class\ A\ Common\ Stock$
- 3. 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.
- 4. Grant of Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(c). RSUs are 100% vested on date of grant but are subject to an individual deferral election on behalf of the Director.

Remarks:

This amended Form 4 is being filed to correct the footnote attached to the March 3, 2012 Director RSU Grant the vesting for which is immediate but subject to the individual directors deferral election.

Kenneth A Olson under POA 03/02/2012 for Stephen Hadden

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

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