Nonstatutory Stock Option 12-15-05

\$30.645

FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIA	L OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CRAWFORD GEORGE T</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BERRY PETROLEUM CO [ BRY ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owne  X Officer (give title Other (spe				rner
	(Fii RY PETRO XTUN AV	LEUM COMPA	(Middle) NY		Date 5/30/3		liest Transa	ction (N	lonth/[	Day/Year)	_	below)  Snr VP of CA Production				,		
(Street)  BAKERSI	RSFIELD CA 93309					If Am	endme	ent, Date of	Origina	l Filed	(Month/Day/Ye	- 1	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)															
		Ta	able I - No	on-De	rivati	ve S	ecur	ities Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed of,	or Bene	eficially	Owned				
D				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 at			Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
						Code	Code V Amou		(A) or (D) Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Class A Common Stock														3,9	96		Ι .	Held in 401(k) Plan
Class A Common Stock				06/30/2011		1			М		20,000(5)	A	<b>\$0</b>	21,9	21,969		D	
Class A Co	mmon Sto	ck		06/30/2011		1			S		6,732	D	\$53	15,2	15,237		D	
Class A Common Stock				06/30/2011					S		2,000	D	\$53.003	3 13,2	237		D	
Class A Co	mmon Sto	ck		06/30/2011		1			S		100	D	\$53.005	13,1	.37		D	
Class A Common Stock			06/30/2011					S		700	D	\$53.01	\$53.01 12,4		137			
Class A Common Stock			06/30/2011					S		700	D	\$53.02	53.02 11,7		'37			
Class A Common Stock			06/30/2011		1			S		200	D	\$53.025	\$53.025 11,5		537			
Class A Common Stock		06/3	06/30/2011				S		700	D	\$53.036	\$53.0364 10,8			D			
Class A Common Stock		06/3	06/30/2011				S		300	D	\$53.038	3 10,5	537		D			
Class A Co	mmon Sto	ck		06/30/2011		1			S		300	D	\$53.04	53.04 10,23			D	
Class A Co	mmon Sto	ck		06/30/2011		1			S		101	D	\$53.05	\$53.05 10,1		136		
Class A Common Stock 06				30/201	-					200	D	\$53.057	- '		D			
Class A Common Stock			06/30/2011		1			S		200	D	\$53.062	5 9,7	36	5 D			
Class A Common Stock			06/3	06/30/2011				S		200	D	\$53.07	9,5	36		D		
Class A Common Stock			06/3	30/201	1			S		600	D	\$53.08	8,936			D		
Class A Common Stock			06/30/2011		1			S		5,068	D	\$53.081	3,868			D		
Class A Common Stock 06/3			30/201	1			S		699	D	\$53.1	3,169			D			
Class A Common Stock 06/30/2					30/201	1			S		1,200 D \$5		\$53.115	1,969			D	
			Table II								osed of, or convertible			wned				
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	d Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)			6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		isable and te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporte Transac	ive Owne cies Form: cially Direct or Ind ing (I) (Insect	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Nonstatutory Stock Option 11- 23-04	\$21.58								11/23/	2005	11/23/2014	Class A Common Stock			40,0	00	D	

Class A Common Stock

20,000

20,000

12/15/2015

12/15/2006

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and 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 of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code		v	(A) (D)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares			Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12- 15-06	\$32.565							12/15/2007	12/14/2016	Class A Common Stock	20,000		20,000	D	
2007 Restricted Stock Unit <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>							12/14/2008 <sup>(3)</sup>	12/13/2017 <sup>(4)</sup>	Class A Common Stock	4,759		4,759	D	
NSO 2007	\$43.61							12/14/2008	12/13/2017	Class A Common Stock	14,279		14,279	D	
2008 Restricted Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>							12/12/2009 <sup>(3)</sup>	12/11/2018 <sup>(4)</sup>	Class A Common Stock	26,667		26,667	D	
2009 Restricted Stock Units	\$0							12/11/2010	12/11/2019	Class A Common Stock	19,594		19,594	D	
Perf Based RSUs 3-16- 10	\$0							12/31/2012	12/31/2012	Class A Common Stock	8,261		8,261	D	
March 2011 Employee RSU Grant	\$0							03/02/2012	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	6,444		6,444	D	
Non- Statutory Stock Option 3-3- 2011 - \$48.50	\$48.5							03/02/2012	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	7,395		7,395	D	
Perf Based RSU 3-2- 2011	\$0							12/31/2013	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	5,637		5,637	D	
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12- 05-03	\$9.97	06/30/2011		М			20,000 <sup>(5)</sup>	12/05/2004	12/05/2013	Class A Common Stock	20,000	\$0	0	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 1 for 1
- 2. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Berry Petroleum Company Class A Common Stock
- 3. The RSU granted vest 25% per year beginning one year after grant but the receipt of shares are subject to a deferral period which is generally at least four years from grant date as per the deferral election.
- 4. 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.
- 5. Options exercised and shares sold under a 10b5-1 Plan established by filer.

## Remarks:

Options exercised and shares sold under a pre-established 10b5-1.

Kenneth A Olson under POA for George Crawford 06/30/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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