GOODRICH HENRY

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** GOODRICH HENRY			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORP [GDP]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 333 TEXAS	(First) (S ST., SUITE 135	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2009			_X Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)					
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(City)	City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (E))	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	12/14/2009			M	666	A	<u>(1)</u>	26,834	D		
Common Stock								105,125	I	HGF Partnership	
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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 proof 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	12/14/2009		M	666	12/14/2009	12/14/2009	Common Stock	666	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GOODRICH HENRY 333 TEXAS ST. SUITE 1350 SHREVEPORT, LA 71101	X					

Signatures

/s/ Michael J. Killelea, 12/15/2009 attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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).
- Each share of phantom stock was the economic equivalent of one share of GDP common stock. On December 14, 2009, the reporting person settled on-third of the shares of phantom stock that were granted to him on December 12, 2006.

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