GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORP

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GOODRICH WALTER G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORP

(Check all applicable)

[GDP]

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

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

Vice Chairman and CEO

C/O GOODRICH PETROLEUM CO, 801 LOUISIANA, SUITE 700

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

12/10/2013

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(Instr. 3)

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr **Underlying Securities**

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/ | Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4 | 4) | Secu (Inst |
|---------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Phantom Stock | <u>(1)</u> | 12/10/2013 | | A | 71,672 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 71,672 | 9 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | | Relationships | | |
|---|----------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|--|
| Triporous Common Common | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| GOODRICH WALTER G C/O GOODRICH PETROLEUM CO 801 LOUISIANA, SUITE 700 HOUSTON, TX 77002 | X | | Vice Chairman and CEO | | |

Signatures

Walter G.
Goodrich

**Signature of Reporting Person

O1/09/2014

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) Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of GDP common stock.

The phantom stock was awarded in consideration of the company's total shareholder return as compared to the performance of an E&P equity index. The phantom stock vests in increments of one-third beginning December 11, 2013 for each of the next three years. Thus the

reporting person will receive 23,891 shares of common stock of the issuer (or cash equal to the value of the common stock on the settlement dates, in the sole discretion of the issuer) on each of December 11, 2014 and 2015, and 23,890 shares of common stock of the issuer (or cash equal to the value of the common stock on the settlement dates, in the sole discretion of the issuer) on December 11, 2016 as long as the reporting person remains affiliated with the company.

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