

GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORP

Form 4

January 10, 2014

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORP  
[GDP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/10/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify  
below) Vice Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	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 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)
				(A) or (D)			
				Code V Amount (D) Price			

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price
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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)	Secu (Instr.			
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	(1)	12/10/2013	A		71,672	(2)	(2)		Common Stock	71,672

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	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  
01/09/2014  
Date  
Signature of Reporting Person

## 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.
- (2)

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