

Spriestersbach Ben
Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Spriestersbach Ben

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PANHANDLE OIL & GAS INC
[PHX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
5400 N GRAND BLVD, SUITE 300
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/23/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President - Land

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73112

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Panhandle Class A Common	05/23/2012	05/23/2012	P	96	A	\$ 27 10,597	D	
Panhandle Class A Common	05/23/2012	05/23/2012	P	600	A	\$ 27 11,197	D	
Panhandle Class A Common	05/23/2012	05/23/2012	P	2,007	A	\$ 27 13,204	D	
Panhandle Class A	05/23/2012	05/23/2012	P	17	A	\$ 27 13,221	D	

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Common

Panhandle

Class A 05/23/2012 05/23/2012 P 15 A \$ 27 13,236 D

Common

Panhandle

Class A 05/23/2012 05/23/2012 P 3,154 A \$ 27 16,390 D

Common

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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5400 N GRAND BLVD
SUITE 300
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73112

Vice President - Land

Signatures

/s/ Ben
Spriestersbach 05/23/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person 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).

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