

CABOT OIL & GAS CORP  
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 \*  
**HUTTON JEFFREY W**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

840 GESSNER ROAD, SUITE 1400

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77024

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CABOT OIL & GAS CORP [COG]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/21/2017

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)

Sr. Vice President, Marketing

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/21/2017		A <sup>(1)</sup>		3,931	A	\$ 0
Common Stock	02/21/2017		F		1,650	D	\$ 22.85
Common Stock	02/21/2017		A <sup>(2)</sup>		2,797	A	\$ 0
Common Stock	02/21/2017		F		1,174	D	\$ 22.93
Common Stock	02/21/2017		A <sup>(3)</sup>		3,733	A	\$ 0

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Common Stock	02/21/2017	F	1,566	D	\$ 22.93	610,172	D	
Common Stock						6,783 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	Held in 401(k) Plan.

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 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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Shares	\$ 0	02/22/2017		A	21,239	<sup>(5)</sup> 12/31/2019	Common	21,239	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUTTON JEFFREY W 840 GESSNER ROAD, SUITE 1400 HOUSTON, TX 77024			Sr. Vice President, Marketing	

## Signatures

Deidre L. Shearer, Attorney-in-Fact for Jeffrey W. Hutton  
02/23/2017

\*\*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).
- (1) Vesting of hybrid performance shares granted on February 20, 2014.
- (2) Vesting of hybrid performance shares granted on February 19, 2015.

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- (3) Vesting of hybrid performance shares granted on February 17, 2016.
- (4) Based on a statement dated December 31, 2016 for shares held by the reporting person under the Cabot Oil & Gas Savings Investment Plan.

- The performance shares provide for payment in common stock and cash in an amount ranging from 0-200% of the performance shares
- (5) awarded, based upon certain performance criteria over a three year performance period, beginning January 1, 2017 and ending December 31, 2019.

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