

Lewis John T.
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

^ Lewis John T.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 GLENBOROUGH DRIVE,
SUITE 100

(Street)

HOUSTON, ^ TX ^ 77067

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

04/23/2013

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
NOBLE ENERGY INC [NBL]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer ____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Sr. VP Corporate Development

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock

24,661

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)
Title

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:
Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	02/01/2009	02/01/2018	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	5,846	\$ 72.94	D	Â
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	01/30/2010	01/30/2019	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	12,909	\$ 50.21	D	Â
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	03/18/2010	03/18/2019	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	1,597	\$ 50.8	D	Â
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	02/01/2011	02/01/2020	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	10,507	\$ 75.09	D	Â
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	02/01/2012	02/01/2021	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	10,495	\$ 90.41	D	Â
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	02/01/2013	02/01/2022	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	9,766	\$ 101.82	D	Â
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	02/01/2014	02/01/2023	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	11,479	\$ 109.19	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				Other
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		
Lewis John T. 100 GLENBOROUGH DRIVE, SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77067	Â	Â	Â Sr. VP Corporate Development		Â

Signatures

Aaron G. Carlson,
Attorney-in-Fact

05/03/2013

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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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Remarks:

ColumnÂ 2Â ofÂ TableÂ IÂ includesÂ 12,455Â restrictedÂ sharesÂ ofÂ NobleÂ Energy,Â Inc.Â CommonÂ StockÂ directl

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