#### BERRY PETROLEUM CO

Form 4

October 15, 2013

#### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and A O'Connor D	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BERRY PETROLEUM CO [BRY]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M		Earliest Tr		0 [23	,	(Check	k all applicable	)
` '	ADWAY, SUITE	(Month/D	ay/Year)	ansaction			Director Officer (give to below) VP General		Owner r (specify etary
	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitin(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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 o Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common	10/15/2013		M	14,908	A	\$	17,691	D	

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	A) d of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D	<b>)</b> )	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nur of S
March 2011 Employee RSU Grant	\$ 0						03/02/2012	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	2,
Non-Statutory Stock Option 3-2-2011 - \$48.50	\$ 48.5						03/02/2012	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	5,
Perf Based RSU 3-2-2011	\$ 0						12/31/2013	03/02/2021	Class A Common Stock	4,
March 2, 2012 Employee RSU Grant	\$ 0						03/02/2013	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	5,
Non Statutory Stock Option 3-2-12	\$ 53.02						03/02/2013	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	7,
Perf Based RSUs 3-2-12	\$ 0						12/31/2014	03/02/2022	Class A Common Stock	5,
March 4, 2013 Employee RSU Grant	\$ 0						03/04/2014	03/04/2023	Class A Common Stock	19
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	10/15/2013		M	14,9 (1		10/15/2013	10/15/2020	Class A Common Stock	14

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
O'Connor Davis O							
1999 BROADWAY, SUITE 3700			VP General Counsel Secretary				
DENVER, CO 80202							

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## **Signatures**

Kenneth A. Olson under POA for Davis O'Connor

10/15/2013

\*\*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) Vested shares issued pursuant to Rule 16b-3 plan.

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