FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Dady Eric L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QEP RESOURCES, INC. [QEP]								(Che	elationship ck all appli Directo	cable) or	Ü	Owner	
(Last) 1050 177	•	rst) (Γ, SUITE 500	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2011								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP and General Counsel					
(Street) DENVEI		_	80265 (Zip)		- 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactic Date (Month/Day/				tion	on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securitie Disposed C			es Acquired	d (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follo		of 6. Ow Form y (D) or		Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
		Code	v	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 02/14/20					2011	011			F		145	D	\$38.	51	44,30)5 ⁽¹⁾		D	
Common Stock														4,637.0209		(2) I		Employee Investment Plan	
	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. Deer Execution if any (Month/I	on Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.		າ of i		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		1	B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporter Transact (Instr. 4)	/e es ally ng d tion(s)	10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00								(3)		(3)	Phantom Stock Units	0			2,248.6	6718	D	
Stock	¢33.08			Т	П			ΙT	(4)	I	03/05/2016	Common				10.0	00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. I received a distribution of formerly restricted shares of stock and made an advance election to satisfy my tax payment obligations by selling shares to QEP.
- 2. As of February 14, 2011, I have 4,637.0209 equivalent shares of stock in QEP's Employee Investment Plan. The number of equivalent shares will fluctuate as QEP's stock price changes; this fluctuation does not reflect any transactions that should be reported.
- 3. Vested shares of phantom stock units will be payable in cash on the date of, or at a designated anniversary date following, the first to occur of the reporting person's (i) separation from service from QEP (subject to 6-month delay if necessary to comply with IRC 409A), (ii) death or (iii) disability, pursuant to the QEP Resources, Inc. Deferred Compensation Wrap Plan.
- 4. The option vests in three annual installments which began on March 5, 2010.

Remarks:

Abigail L. Jones, Attorney in

02/16/2011

Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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