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FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Addre Fiala Margo	ess of Reporting Person	1*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading S <u>QEP RESOURCES, INC.</u> 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/								elationship of Reportin ck all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Othe	Owner r (specify		
(Last) 1050 17TH STI		Date of E 3/02/201		tion (Mo	onth/Da	ay/Year)			► below)	VP	v)				
(Street) DENVER	NVER     CO     80265       /)     (State)     (Zip)			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				
(City)	(State)									-	-	-			
		Table I - No	n-Derivativ	ve Sec	curities Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of, o	r Bene	ficially	Owned				
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y	/ear) Exe /ear) if a	A. Deemed kecution Date, any lonth/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (I 8)		4. Securities A Disposed Of (I			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock										36,793	D				

Common Stock

## 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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00	03/02/2015		A		1,452.7742		(1)	(1)	Phantom Stock Units	1,452.7742	\$21.7	3,027.6772	D	
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00							(2)	(2)	Phantom Stock Units	16,443		16,443	D	
Stock Option	\$30.9							(3)	02/13/2019	Common Stock	8,709		8,709	D	
Stock Option	\$30.12							(4)	02/13/2020	Common Stock	9,792		9,792	D	
Stock Option	\$31.74							(5)	02/13/2021	Common Stock	8,629		8,629	D	
Stock Option	\$21.69							(6)	02/12/2022	Common Stock	15,584		15,584	D	
Stock Option	\$39.07							03/05/2014	02/25/2018	Common Stock	6,276		6,276	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. 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) distribution election date which is not earlier than two years from the plan year (ii) separation from service from QEP (subject to 6-month delay if necessary to comply with IRC 409A), (iii) death or (iv) disability, pursuant to the QEP Resources, Inc. Deferred Compensation Wrap Plan. This total includes shares attributable to the 401(k) supplemental program of the Deferred Compensation Wrap Plan. Consequently, share totals may change without any visible activity.

2. These phantom stock units are associated with QEP's Long Term Cash Incentive Plan.

3. The option vests in three annual installments beginning on March 5, 2013, subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of certain events as set forth in the award agreement.

4. The option vests in three annual installments beginning on March 5, 2014, subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of certain events as set forth in the award agreement.

5. The option vests in three annual installments beginning on March 5, 2015, subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of certain events as set forth in the award agreement.

6. The option vests in three annual installments beginning on March 5, 2016, subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of certain events as set forth in the award agreement.

**Remarks:** 

/s/ Abigail L. Jones, Attorney in Fact 03/03/2015

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

 $^{\ast}$  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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