FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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STANLEY CHARLES B					QEP RESOURCES, INC. [QEP]							X	Director			10% Ov	vner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1050 17TH STREET SUITE 800						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2018									x	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO				
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1. Title of	Security (Ins	tr. 3)		Date	nsactio		Execu	ition D	emed tion Date, Industrial (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ADay/Year) 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Owned Following Reported 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				Direct Ir ndirect B r. 4) C	Nature of direct eneficial wnership nstr. 4)						
										Code	v	Amou	nt (A	() or ()	Price	Transaction (Instr. 3 and				
Common	Stock			03/	05/20	18				F		52,	259	D	\$9.55	947,927)	
Common	Stock															44,480	.48]	[]	mployee nvestment lan
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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 Da if any (Month/Day/\)	ate,	4. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv	r osed) r. 3, 4	Expir	te Exerc ration Da th/Day/\	ate	e and	Securities	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitic Benefici Owned Followin Reporte Transac (Instr. 4)	ve ies Ownersl Form: Direct (C or Indire (I) (Instr.		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expi Date	ration	Title		unt or per of es					
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00									(1)		(1)	Phantom Stock Units	58	30,961		580,9	961	D	
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00									(2)	_	(2)	Phantom Stock Units	53,6	05.1882		53,605	5.1882	D	
Stock Option	\$30.9								03/0	5/2015	02/13	3/2019	Common Stock	9	0,350		90,3	350	D	
Stock Option	\$30.12								03/0	5/2016	02/13	3/2020	Common Stock	10	00,088		100,0	088	D	
Stock Option	\$31.74								03/0	5/2017	02/13	3/2021	Common Stock	8	7,194		87,1	194	D	
Stock Option	\$21.69								03/0	5/2018	02/1	2/2022	Common Stock	12	25,985		125,9	985	D	
Stock Option	\$10.12								'	(3)	02/1	6/2023	Common Stock	14	12,106		142,1	106	D	
Stock Option	\$16.98									(4)	02/13	3/2024	Common	13	3,705		133,7	705	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These phantom units are associated with QEP's Cash Incentive Plan.
- 2. 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.
- 3. The option vests in three annual installments beginning on March 5, 2017, 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, 2018, subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of certain events as set forth in the award agreement

Remarks:

/s/ Dane E. Allen, Attorney in **Fact**

03/07/2018

** 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).
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