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* Neese Jay B					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QEP RESOURCES, INC. [QEP]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owne X Officer (give title Other (spec					wner	
(Last) 1050 17	•	First) T, SUITE 500	(Middle)			3. Date 03/01/	of Earliest ²	Trans	action (Mo	onth/E	Day/Year)			below) below) Executive Vice President						
(Street) DENVE	R C	CO	80265		4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						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)	(Zip)											1 2 mod 27 more than 2e reporting t closer						
		7	able I - No	n-Deri	vat	tive S	Securitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	of, or B	enefici	ally	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.) 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		ed (A) or str. 3, 4 ar	and 5) Securities Beneficially Following F		Owned eported	6. Owner Form: I (D) or II (I) (Inst	Direct I ndirect E r. 4) (7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Pric	e	Transaction (Instr. 3 and		(Instr. 4)			
Common	Stock														118,435 D					
Common	Stock													28,434.0958 ⁽¹⁾ I		I I	Employee nvestment Plan			
			Table II -				curities alls, warr								Owned			,	1	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Sa. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Scurities Acquired (or Dispose)		rivative curities quired (A) Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4						ying Derivative		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
				Co	de	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amour Numbe Shares	er of]	(Instr. 4)				
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00	03/01/2011		I	A		2,166.197		(2)		(2)	Phantom Stock Units	2,166	5.197	\$38.51	17,253	.7709	D		
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00								(3)		(3)	Phantom Stock Units	14,0)78		14,0)78	D		
Stock Option	\$39.07								(4)		02/25/2018	Commor Stock	27,6	511		27,6	611	D		
Stock Option	\$9.19								08/11/200	03	02/11/2013	Commor Stock	17,9	910		17,9	910	D		
Stock Option	\$23.98								(5)		03/05/2016	Commor Stock	80,0	000		80,0	000	D		
Stock Option	\$27.55								(6)		03/05/2017	Common	30,0	000		30,0	000	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. As of March 1, 2011, I have 28,434.0958 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.
- 2. 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 6month delay if necessary to comply with IRC 409A), (ii) death or (iii) disability, pursuant to the QEP Resources, Inc. Deferred Compensation Wrap Plan.
- 3. These phantom stock units are associated with QEP's Long Term Cash Incentive Plan.
- 4. The option vests in three annual installments beginning on March 5, 2012, 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 which began on March 5, 2010, 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, 2011, subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of certain events as set forth in the award agreement.

Remarks:

Abigail L. Jones, Attorney in **Fact**

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/01/2011

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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