SEC Form 4

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	Iress of Reporting F		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QEP RESOURCES, INC. [QEP]		ionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director	rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner				
(Last) 1050 17TH S	(First) (Middle) ITREET, SUITE 500		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2015		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)				
(Street) DENVER (City)	Street) DENVER CO 80265		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi Line) X	, ,					
Table L- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Beneficially Owned										

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 3 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Date Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Indirect Beneficial Execution Date Securitie (Month/Day/Year) if any Beneficially Owned Following (Month/Dav/Year) (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or

			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock								14,897	D	
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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)		Derivative		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	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	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		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00	12/07/2015		A		51.0584		(1)	(1)	Phantom Stock Units	51.0584	\$12.43	31,783.8474	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 a 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.

Remarks:

/s/ Abigail L. Jones, Attorney in Fact 12/09/2015

** 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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