FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Neese Jay B															5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 1050 17	•	First) Γ, SUITE 500	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2010							X				below)	′ I	
(Street) DENVER CO 80265					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					
(City)	(S	State)	(Zip)											Person					
		T	able I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Securitie	s Ad	cquired	l, Di	sposed o	of, or Be	neficial	lly O	wned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month)						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Transaction Disposed O Code (Instr. 5)				Beneficially Owned Following		Owned (6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tr	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Common Stock													105,784		D			
Common Stock												2	28,254.4619(1)		I In		Employee nvestment Plan		
			Table II -			ecurities alls, warı							/ Ow	ned					
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/\)	Cod	nsactior le (Instr.	saction Derivative Ex			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and Amou Securities Under Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)			Underlyin Security	ing Derivative		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction	re es ally g d	10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	le V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares			(Instr. 4)				
Phantom Stock Units	\$38.12	12/07/2010		A		126.6032		(2)		(2)	Phantom Stock Units	126.603	32	\$38.12	14,961.	1014	D		
Stock Option	\$9.19							08/11/2	003	02/11/2013	Common Stock	17,910	0		17,91	10	D		
Stock Option	\$23.98							(3)		03/05/2016	Common Stock	80,000	0		80,000	0 ⁽⁴⁾	D		
Stock Option	\$27.55							(5)		03/05/2017	Common	30,000	0		30,000	0 ⁽⁴⁾	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. As of December 8, 2010, I have 28,254.4619 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 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.
- 3. The option vests in three annual installments which began on March 5, 2010.
- 4. These numbers were switched. I believe this information to be correct and that prior reports were inaccurate.
- 5. 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 12/09/2010 **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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