MONROE MARK E

Form 4

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1(b).

Common

Stock

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MONROE MARK E Issuer Symbol CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC (Check all applicable) [CLR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) P.O. BOX 1032, 302 N. 12/02/2010 **INDEPENDENCE** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ENID, OK 73702 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 7. Nature of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership

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

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Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

 $123,690 \ \underline{^{(2)}}$

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(A)

(D)

D

Price \$

55.3987

(1)

Amount

10,000

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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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5	ate	Amou Under Secur	Title and mount of nderlying eccurities nstr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MONROE MARK E								
P.O. BOX 1032	X							
302 N. INDEPENDENCE	Λ							
ENID, OK 73702								

Signatures

/s/ Donald P. Fischbach,
Attorney-in-Fact 12/03/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at price ranging from \$55.22 to \$55.60. The price reported represents the weighted (1) average purchase price of these trades. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the shares purchased at each separate price.
- (2) Includes 3,334 shares of restricted stock which vest on November 1, 2011; 3,333 shares of restricted stock which vest on November 7, 2012; and 3,333 shares of restricted stock which vest on November 1, 2013.

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