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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Knapp Alfred John Jr.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

VAALCO ENERGY INC /DE/

(Check all applicable)

[EGY]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Month/Day/Year)

1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH, SUITE 1310

(Street)

(State)

05/09/2018

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

HOUSTON, TX 77027

(City)

Common

Stock

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	

(Zip)

3.	4. Securities Acquired
Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of
Code	(D)
(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Reported		

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 05/09/2018 25,000 \$0 D A A 308,446 Stock

> By Andover I Real Estate 20,000

Services, Inc.

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.6	05/09/2018		A	58,548	05/09/2018	05/09/2023	Common Stock	58,548

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Knapp Alfred John Jr.					
1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH, SUITE 1310	X				
HOUSTON, TX 77027					

Signatures

/s/ Alfred John Knapp, Jr. by Kendall Hollrah as attorney-in-fact

05/14/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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