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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Riney Stephen J Issuer Symbol APACHE CORP [APA] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _Other (specify 2000 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 07/01/2016 below) 100 Executive Vice Pres & CFO (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

HOUSTON, TX 77056

	(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
S	Title of ecurity nstr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi n(A) or D (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	ommon tock	07/01/2016		M(1)	7,451	A	\$ 0	18,674	D	
	ommon tock	07/01/2016		F(2)	3,126	D	\$ 56.67	15,548	D	

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

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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)	Code	5. Number tom Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration D (Month/Day)	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	
Restricted Stock / Units (3)	\$ 0 (4)	07/01/2016	M	7,451	(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	7,451	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Riney Stephen J 2000 POST OAK BLVD. SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056

Executive Vice Pres & CFO

Signatures

Cheri L. Peper, Attorney-in-Fact 07/06/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Vesting on 07/01/2016 of restricted stock units under employer plan. Vesting occurs ratably over three years. Data provided by plan administrator on 07/05/2016.
- (2) Shares withheld to cover required tax withholding on vesting of restricted stock effective as of 07/01/2016. Data provided by plan administrator on 07/05/2016.
- (3) With tandem tax withholding right
- (4) One share of Apache common stock for each restricted stock unit.

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