#### WEATHERLY B F

Form 4

August 23, 2006

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WEATHERLY B F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALLON PETROLEUM CO [CPE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
200 NORTH CANAL STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2006	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NATCHEZ, MS 391203212			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - No	n-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3.		4. Securities Acquired ion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/22/2006	08/22/2006	M	V	5,000	A	\$ 12	21,802	I	Jt. Ten. with Spouse
Common Stock	08/22/2006	08/22/2006	F	V	3,778 (1)	D	\$ 15.89	18,024	I	Jt. Ten. with Spouse
Common Stock								2,288	I	IRA Account

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Transaction of Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	; V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor Nur of S
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12	08/22/2006	08/22/2006	M	V		5,000	02/23/1997	08/23/2006	Common Stock	5,
2004 Performance Shares	\$ 13.71							05/05/2005(2)	07/14/2014	Common Stock	15.
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.31							12/20/1997	06/20/2007	Common Stock	5,
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.47							11/29/1998	05/29/2008	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.97							10/30/1999	04/23/2009	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.56							11/10/2000	05/10/2010	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.5							01/25/2001	07/25/2010	Common Stock	20,
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.61							11/05/2001	05/04/2011	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.05							11/09/2002	05/08/2012	Common Stock	5,
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 12.4							11/08/2004	05/06/2014	Common Stock	5,

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Buy)

Stock Option

(Right to \$ 13.71 Common Stock

5,

Buy)

Stock

Buy)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WEATHERLY B F
200 NORTH CANAL STREET X
NATCHEZ, MS 391203212

# **Signatures**

By: Robert A. Mayfield as Attorney-in-fact for 08/22/2006

\*\*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) Represents shares withheld by the issuer to pay the stock option exercise price.
- (2) Performance Stock awarded July 14, 2004. These shares vest in five equal annual installments beginning on July 14, 2005.

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