HELMERICH & PAYNE INC

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HELM GORDON K			2. Issuer Name Symbol	e and Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			HELMERIC	H & PAYNE INC [HP]	(Check a	all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earlie	est Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Ye	ar)		10% Owner		
1437 SOU	TH BOULDE	R AVE.	12/13/2013		_X_ Officer (give tit below)	tleOther (specify below)		
					Vice Presid	lent & Controller		
	(Street)		4. If Amendmen	t, Date Original	6. Individual or Join	t/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day	/Year)	Applicable Line)			
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TULSA, C	OK 74119				Person	e man one reporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	on-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction I	Date 2A. Deer	med 3.	4. Securities Acquired (A	A) 5. Amount of	6. 7. Nature		

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/13/2013		M	11,000	A	\$ 35.105	41,168	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2013		M	13,000	A	\$ 21.065	54,168	D	
Common Stock							7,332	I	By 401(k)

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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.105	12/13/2013		M	11,000	12/04/2008(1)	12/04/2017	Common Stock	11,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.065	12/13/2013		M	13,000	12/02/2009(2)	12/02/2018	Common Stock	13,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HELM GORDON K 1437 SOUTH BOULDER AVE.

Vice President & Controller

TULSA, OK 74119

Signatures

Jonathan M. Cinocca, by Power of Attorney for Gordon K.
Helm

**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) The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan on 12/4/2007. The options vested 25% a year over 4 years. The noted date represents the first date options vested.
- The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan on 12/2/2008. The options vested 25% a year over 4 years. The noted date represents the first date options vested.

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