

KERR MCGEE CORP /DE  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**WOHLEBER ROBERT M**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**KERR-MCGEE CENTER, P. O.  
BOX 25861**

(Street)

**OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73125**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**KERR MCGEE CORP /DE [KMG]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**09/09/2005**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Sr. VP & CFO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock - By Trustee/SIP					1,536.31	I	By Trustee/SIP
Common Stock - By Trustee/EDCP					26,109.446	I	By Trustee/EDCP
Common Stock	09/09/2005		A	15,000 A \$ 63.5313	55,700	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2005		S	15,000 D \$ 95	40,700	D	

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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 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.5313	09/09/2005		M	15,000	01/11/2003 01/11/2010	Common Stock	15,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WOHLEBER ROBERT M KERR-MCGEE CENTER, P. O. BOX 25861 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73125			Sr. VP & CFO	

## Signatures

By: Justin P. Byrne Per Attached Power of Attorney 09/12/2005

\*\*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) On September 9, 2005 the Reporting Person exercised a stock option for 15,000 shares with a grant price of \$63.5313, which resulted in the issuance of 15,000 shares of Kerr-McGee Corporation common stock to the Reporting Person. The stock option exercise is reported under Table II, and the issuance and subsequent sale of the stock are reported under Table I. The price at which the shares were sold was \$95.00. The option exercise and subsequent sale were executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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