

CHEATWOOD CHRIS J  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
CHEATWOOD CHRIS J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES CO [PXD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
5205 N. O'CONNOR BLVD.,  
SUITE 900  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/29/2004

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
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IRVING, TX 75039

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

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/29/2004		M			2,333	A	\$ 24.375	52,341	D	
Common Stock	11/29/2004		M			4,167	A	\$ 12.5	56,508	D	
Common Stock	11/29/2004		M			11,667	A	\$ 18.96	68,175	D	
Common Stock	11/29/2004		S			18,167	D	\$ 35.51	50,008	D	
Common Stock									503	I	401(k)

Common Stock 2,000 I IRA

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 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.5	11/29/2004		M	4,167	08/16/2001 <sup>(1)</sup> 08/16/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.96	11/29/2004		M	11,667	02/14/2002 02/14/2007	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.375	11/29/2004		M	2,333	09/30/1998 04/07/2006	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

CHEATWOOD CHRIS J  
5205 N. O'CONNOR BLVD., SUITE  
900  
IRVING, TX 75039

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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## Signatures

Chris J.  
Cheatwood 12/01/2004

\*\*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 vest and become exercisable in three equal installments beginning one year after the award date of 8/16/00.

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