

JAMIESON THOMAS J  
Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

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

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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 \*  
JAMIESON THOMAS J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BERRY PETROLEUM CO [BRY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
C/O BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY, 1999 BROADWAY, SUITE 3700

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/31/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
03/31/2010

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

DENVER, CA 80202

(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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Class A Common Stock					33,800	I	Owned by corporation
Class A Common Stock					48,000	D	
Class A Common Stock					25,000	I	Owned by partnership
Class A					138,062	I	Owned by

Common  
Stock

Trust

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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Nonstatutory Stock Options 12-2-2000	\$ 7.8438					12/02/2000 12/02/2010	Class A Common Stock 10
Nonstatutory Stock Options 12-2-01	\$ 7.725					12/02/2001 12/02/2011	Class A Common Stock 10
Nonstatutory Stock Options 12-2-02	\$ 8.07					12/02/2002 12/02/2012	Class A Common Stock 10
Nonstatutory Stock Options 12-2-03	\$ 9.61					12/02/2003 12/02/2013	Class A Common Stock 10
Nonstatutory Stock Options 12-2-04	\$ 21.77					12/02/2004 12/02/2014	Class A Common Stock 10
Nonstatutory Stock Option 12-15-05	\$ 30.645					12/15/2005 12/15/2015	Class A Common Stock 10

Nonstatutory Stock Option 12-15-06	\$ 32.565					12/15/2006	12/14/2016	Class A Common Stock	10
2007 Restricted Stock Unit <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0					01/01/2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	12/13/2017 <sup>(3)</sup>	Class A Common Stock	1
NSO 2007	\$ 43.61					12/14/2007	12/13/2017	Class A Common Stock	3
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>	03/31/2010		A		08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Class A Common Stock	59
									943 <sup>(5)</sup>

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director   10% Owner   Officer   Other

JAMIESON THOMAS J  
C/O BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY  
1999 BROADWAY, SUITE 3700  
DENVER, CA 80202

## Signatures

Kenneth A Olson under POA for Thomas  
Jamieson

04/05/2010

        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) 1 for 1
- (2) The RSU granted is 100% vested at the date of grant but the receipt of shares are subject to a deferral period which is generally at least four years from the grant date as per the deferral election.
- (3) The RSU is subject to a deferral election. Shares of Class A Common Stock will be delivered to the reporting person as per the terms of the deferral election.
- (4) Phantom Stock Units acquired under the Company's Non-Employee Director Deferred Compensation Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(c). Shares of Common Stock are issued under terms of the Plan upon resignation from the board of directors.
- (5) Phantom Stock Units acquired under the Company's Non-Employee Director Deferred Compensation Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(c). Shares of Common Stock are issued under terms of the Plan upon resignation from the board of directors.

### Remarks:

This Form 4 is being amended to correct the Phantom Stock Units acquired for the quarter ended March 31, 2010.

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