

CALLON PETROLEUM CO
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WOODCOCK STEPHEN F

(Last) (First) (Middle)
200 NORTH CANAL STREET
(Street)

NATCHEZ, MS 391203212

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CALLON PETROLEUM CO [CPE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
06/18/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Vice-President, Exploration

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	06/18/2008	06/18/2008	M	V 25,000 A \$ 9	41,020	D	
Common Stock	06/18/2008	06/18/2008	F	V 13,427 D \$ 27.72	27,593	D	
Common Stock	06/19/2008	06/19/2008	S	V 11,573 D \$ 27.62	16,020	D	
Common Stock					7,765 ⁽¹⁾	I	401(k) 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)	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	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9	06/18/2008	06/18/2008	M	V 25,000	09/05/1999	03/05/2009	Common Stock	25,000
2004 Performance Shares	\$ 13.71					05/05/2005	07/14/2014	Common Stock	7,400
2006 Performance Shares	\$ 15.83					08/21/2006	08/21/2010	Common Stock	24,000
2008 Performance Stock Award	\$ 0 ⁽²⁾					⁽²⁾	⁽²⁾	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.5					09/23/2000	03/23/2010	Common Stock	44,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.5					01/13/2003	07/12/2012	Common Stock	13,200
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.7					02/24/2003	08/23/2012	Common Stock	8,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
			Vice-President, Exploration	

WOODCOCK STEPHEN F
200 NORTH CANAL STREET
NATCHEZ, MS 391203212

Signatures

By: Robert A. Mayfield as
Attorney-in-fact for

06/19/2008

**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).

The number of shares reported is calculated by dividing the total market value of the reporting person's account balance within the Callon

(1) Petroleum Company Employee Savings and Protection Plan (401(k) Plan) on the day prior to this Form 4 reporting date by the closing market price per share on that day.

The number of shares awarded is conditioned based on the achievement of a specified performance target, based upon the price of

(2) Callon's stock, to be calculated on December 31, 2010. If the performance target is achieved, vesting with respect to the awarded shares will occur on 04/18/2011, the third anniversary following the award date.

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