

TAYLOR STEPHEN S  
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**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 13G**

**Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**(Amendment No. )\***

**Saratoga Resources, Inc.**

**(Name of Issuer)**

**Common Stock, \$0.001 par value**

**(Title of Class of Securities)**

**803521103**

**(CUSIP Number)**

**December 31, 2011**

**(Date of Event which Requires filing of this Statement)**

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

Rule 13d-1(b)

Rule 13d-1(c)

Rule 13d-1(d)

The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to \*the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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CUSIP No. 803521103

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

1

**Taylor Asset Management, Inc** FEIN #  
26-044-8554  
CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A  
MEMBER OF A GROUP

2

(a) " (b) "

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZEN OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION

4

**Illinois**

SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF 5

SHARES **1,226,726<sup>(1)(2)</sup>**  
SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY 6

OWNED BY **0**  
EACH SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON **1,226,726<sup>(1)(2)</sup>**  
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

WITH 8

**0**

9

AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON

**1,226,726<sup>(1)(2)</sup>**

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE  
AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES

10

**Not Applicable**  
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED  
BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

11

**4.6%**  
TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12

**IA**

(1) Mr. Stephen S. Taylor may be deemed to hold an indirect beneficial interest in these shares, which are directly beneficially owned by Taylor International Fund, Ltd. ("TIF"). Mr. Taylor is the Chairman of Taylor Asset Management Inc. ("TAM"), which is the Investment Manager of TIF. The filing of this Statement and any future amendment by Mr. Taylor, and the inclusion of information herein and therein with respect to Mr. Taylor, shall not be considered an admission that he, for the purpose of Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act, is the beneficial owner of any shares in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.

(2) Of the 1,226,726 shares directly beneficially owned by TAM, 993,392 shares consist of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"); 233,334 shares of Warrants convertible into Common Stock at an exercise price equal to \$5.00 per share.



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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

1

**Stephen S Taylor**

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A  
MEMBER OF A GROUP

2

(a)  (b)

SEC USE ONLY

3

CITIZEN OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION

4

**United States of America**  
SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF 5

SHARES

**1,411,728<sup>(1)(2)</sup>**

BENEFICIALLY

SHARED VOTING POWER

OWNED BY 6

EACH

**0**

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 7

PERSON

**1,411,728<sup>(1)(2)</sup>**

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

WITH

8

**0**

AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON

9

**1,411,728<sup>(1)(2)</sup>**

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE  
AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES

10

**Not Applicable**  
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED  
BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

11

**5.3%**

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12

**IN;IA**

(1) Consists of 185,002 shares owned by Mr. Stephen S. Taylor and 1,226,726 shares owned by Taylor International Fund, Ltd. ("TIF"). Mr. Taylor may be deemed to hold an indirect beneficial interest in shares that are directly beneficially owned by TIF. Mr. Taylor is the Chairman of Taylor Asset Management Inc. ("TAM"), which is the Investment Manager of TIF. The filing of this Statement and any future amendment by Mr. Taylor, and the inclusion of information herein and therein with respect to Mr. Taylor, shall not be considered an admission that he, for the purpose of Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act, is the beneficial owner of any shares in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.

(2) Of the 185,002 shares directly beneficially owned by TAM, 151,668 shares consist of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"); and 33,334 shares of Warrants convertible into Common Stock at an exercise price

equal to \$5.00 per share.



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**ITEM 1. (a) Name of Issuer:**

Saratoga Resources, Inc. (the "Issuer")

**(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:**

7500 San Felipe  
Suite 675,  
Houston, Texas 77063

**ITEM 2**

(a)-(c) This Schedule 13G is filed by Taylor Asset Management, Inc. ("TAM") and Mr. Stephen S. Taylor (together with TAM, the "Reporting Party"). TAM is an Illinois corporation located at 714 S. Dearborn Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Chicago, IL 60605, with the telephone number (312) 583-0500. Mr. Taylor, a citizen of the United States of America, has a business address at 714 S. Dearborn Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Chicago, IL 60605.

(d) Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"). Of the 1,411,728 shares beneficially owned by the Reporting Party, 1,145,060 shares consist of Common Stock; 266,668 shares of Warrants convertible into Common Stock at an exercise price equal to \$5.00 per share

**(e) CUSIP Number:**

803521103

**ITEM 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b), or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:**

- (a)  Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).
- (b)  Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (c)  Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (d)  Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).
- (e)  An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
- (f)  An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(ii)(F);
- (g)  A parent holding company or control person in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
- (h)  A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
- (i)  A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
- (j)  Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(ii)(J).

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**ITEM 4. Ownership**

(a)-(b) Mr. Taylor has direct beneficial ownership of 185,002 shares of the Issuer. TIF has direct beneficial ownership of 1,226,726 shares of the Issuer. Mr. Taylor is the Chairman of Taylor Asset Management Inc., which is the Investment Manager of TIF. Accordingly, Mr. Taylor may be deemed to own beneficially a total of 1,411,728 shares of the Issuer constituting of 5.3% of the Issuer's shares of Common Stock outstanding as of November 17, 2011.

**Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class**

**ITEM 5.**

Not applicable.

**Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person**

**ITEM 6.**

Not applicable.

**Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company**

**ITEM 7.**

Not applicable

**Identification and Classification of Members of the Group**

**ITEM 8.**

Not applicable.

**Notice of Dissolution of Group**

**ITEM 9.**

Not applicable.

**ITEM 10. Certification**

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By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

**Date:** February 10, 2012

TAYLOR INTERNATIONAL FUND, LTD.

By: Taylor Asset Management, Inc.  
Its Investment Manager

By: /s/ Stephen S Taylor  
Name: Stephen S Taylor  
Title: Chairman

Stephen S Taylor

By: /s/ Stephen S Taylor  
Stephen S Taylor, Individually

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**LIST OF EXHIBITS**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
A	Joint Filing Agreement

**EXHIBIT A**

**JOINT FILING AGREEMENT**

THIS JOINT FILING AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is made and entered into as of this 10th day of February, 2012, by and among Taylor International Fund, Ltd. and Stephen S. Taylor.

The parties to this Agreement hereby agree to prepare jointly and file timely (or otherwise to deliver as appropriate) all filings on Schedule 13D and Schedule 13G (the "Filings") required to be filed by them pursuant to Section 13(d) or 13(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, with respect to their respective beneficial ownership of the Common Stock of Saratoga Resources that are required to be reported on any Filings. Each party to this Agreement further agrees and covenants to the other parties that it will fully cooperate with such other parties in the preparation and timely filing (and other delivery) of all such Filings.

This Agreement may be executed in separate counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.

*[Remainder of page intentionally left blank.]*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the date first set forth above.

TAYLOR INTERNATIONAL  
FUND, LTD.

By: Taylor Asset Management, Inc.  
its Investment Manager

By:/s/ Stephen S. Taylor  
Stephen S. Taylor, Chairman

STEPHEN S. TAYLOR  
By/s/ Stephen S. Taylor  
Stephen S. Taylor, Individually