LANNIE P ANTHONY

Form 4

January 20, 2011

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

Stock (1)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

LANNIE P ANTHONY			Symbol APACHE CORP [APA]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2000 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 100			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2011					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Exec. Vice President / & General Counsel			
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								y Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)	
Common Stock (1)	01/19/2011			M(2)	1,667	A	\$ 0	10,047	D		
Common Stock (1)	01/19/2011			F(3)	470	D	\$ 125.63	9,577	D		

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock / Units (4)	\$ 0	01/19/2011		M	1,6	567	01/15/2011	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock (1)	1,667

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LANNIE P ANTHONY 2000 POST OAK BLVD. SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056

Exec. Vice President & General Counsel

8. I De Sec (In

Signatures

Cheri L. Peper, Attorney-in-Fact

**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 shares of common stock of Apache are deemed to also represent certain preferred stock purchase rights ('Rights'). The Rights are not currently exercisable or separately tradable and presently are evidenced by certificates for shares of the common stock. Value attributable to such Rights, if any, is reflected in the market price of the common stock.
- (2) Vesting on 01/15/2011 of restricted stock units under employer plan data provided by plan administrator on 01/19/2011.
- (3) Shares withheld to cover required tax withholding on vesting of restricted stock units effective as of 01/15/2011 data provided by plan administrator on 01/19/2011.
- (4) With tandem tax withholding right
- (5) Granted under employer plan on 01/15/2010. Units vest 1/3 on 01/15/2010, 01/15/2011, and 01/15/2012.

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