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### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Obut Tina S			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			PETROHAWK ENERGY CORP [HK]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify		
1000 LOUISIANA, SUITE 5600			08/20/2011	below) SVP - Corporate Reserves		
(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77002			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tabl</b>	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	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	08/20/2011		Code V U	Amount 56,327	(D)	Price \$ 38.75	,	D	
Common Stock	08/20/2011		D	59,867		\$ 38.75	0	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)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 20.57	08/20/2011		D		70,500	<u>(1)</u>	02/23/2021	Common Stock	70,50
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 21.18	08/20/2011		D		56,000	(1)	02/24/2020	Common Stock	56,00
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 15.23	08/20/2011		D		44,000	<u>(1)</u>	03/02/2019	Common Stock	44,00
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 18.08	08/20/2011		D		29,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/28/2018	Common Stock	29,00
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 11.64	08/20/2011		D		20,000	<u>(1)</u>	03/02/2017	Common Stock	20,00
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 10.23	08/20/2011		D		16,900	<u>(1)</u>	08/11/2016	Common Stock	16,90
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 12.92	08/20/2011		D		25,000	<u>(1)</u>	04/21/2016	Common Stock	25,00

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Obut Tina S							
1000 LOUISIANA			SVD Corporate Pasaryas				
SUITE 5600			SVP - Corporate Reserves				
HOUSTON, TX 77002							

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# **Signatures**

David S. Elkouri, Attorney-in-fact

08/23/2011

\*\*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) This derivative security was cancelled pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger in exchange for a cash payment equal to the difference between the exercise price and \$38.75.

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