#### CIMAREX ENERGY CO

Form 4

August 12, 2016

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and A Burford G M	Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CIMAREX ENERGY CO [XEC]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (M	iddle) 3. Date of	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Chech all applicable)				
1700 LINCO 3700		(Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2016				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP and Chief Financial Officer				
	4. If Amer	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
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(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. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l 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							551	I	By 401(k)	
Common	08/11/2016		S	2,000	D	\$	38 030	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

08/11/2016

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# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Burford G Mark 1700 LINCOLN STREET **SUITE 3700** DENVER, CO 80203

VP and Chief Financial Officer

## **Signatures**

Francis B. Barron, as 08/12/2016 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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 amount of securities beneficially owned as reported in column 5 includes 12,000 shares of restricted stock subject to service-based vesting and 25,821 shares subject to service-based vesting and the satisfaction of certain performance criteria.

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