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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 *

Packer Gary D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO

/DE/ [NFX]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2007

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President-Rocky Mountains

363 N. SAM HOUSTON PKWY.E., #2020

(Street)

(State)

(City)

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

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

HOUSTON, TX 77060

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Zip)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

common 02/07/2007 stock

Code V Amount (D) F 373

Price D 42.73

85,989 (1) 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)

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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)	of De Sec Ac (A Dis of (In			ate	7. Title and of Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 and	ng	8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
employee stock optright to buy	\$ 14.57 (2)						<u>(2)</u>	11/04/2009	common stock	20,000 (2)	
employee stock optright to buy	\$ 19.02 (3)						(3)	02/09/2011	common stock	15,000 (3)	
employee stock optright to buy	\$ 16.87 (4)						<u>(4)</u>	02/07/2012	common stock	18,000 (4)	
employee stock optright to buy	\$ 16.25 (5)						<u>(5)</u>	08/14/2012	common stock	15,000 (5)	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Packer Gary D 363 N. SAM HOUSTON PKWY.E., #2020 HOUSTON, TX 77060			Vice President-Rocky Mountains	
Signatures				
Gary D. Packer	_ C. Willi	am Austin a	s Attorney in Fact for	02/09/2007
**Signature of	Date			

Relationships

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).

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- (1) The total includes 230 shares acquired by the reporting person on June 30, 2006 and 273 shares acquired by the reporting person on December 31, 2006 under the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- Part of a grant to the reporting person of 20,000 shares from the Issuer's 1998 Stock Plan. The options vested in five annual installments (2) beginning 11/04/2000. This option was previously reported as covering 10,000 shares at an exercise price of \$29.13 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on May 25, 2005.
- Part of a grant to the reporting person of 15,000 shares from the Issuer's 2000 Stock Plan. The options vested in five annual installments (3) beginning 2/09/2002. This option was previously reported as covering 7,500 shares at an exercise price of \$38.03 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on May 25, 2005.
- Part of a grant to the reporting person of 18,000 shares from the Issuer's 2000 Stock Plan. The options vested in five annual installments (4) beginning 2/07/2003. This option was previously reported as covering 9,000 shares at an exercise price of \$33.73 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on May 25, 2005.
- Part of a grant to the reporting person of 15,000 shares from the Issuer's 2000 Stock Plan. The options vested in five annual installments (5) beginning 8/14/2003. This option was previously reported as covering 7,500 shares at an exercise price of \$32.50 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on May 25, 2005.

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