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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Teslik Sarah B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APACHE CORP [APA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Choon an apphonen)		
2000 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 100			(Month/Day/Year) 06/04/2012	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Sr. Vice President		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
HOUSTON, T	X 77056		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acqu	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. 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)	06/04/2012		M(2)	417	A	\$ 0	14,728	D	
Common Stock (1)	06/04/2012		F(3)	111	D	\$ 79.37	14,617	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)	2 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	Expiration D (Month/Day)	Date	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock / Units (4)	\$ 0	06/04/2012		M	417	(2)	(2)	Common Stock (1)	417	\$ 0

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Maine / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sr. Vice President

Teslik Sarah B

2000 POST OAK BLVD.

SUITE 100

HOUSTON, TX 77056

# **Signatures**

Cheri L. Peper, Attorney-in-Fact 06/04/2012

\*\*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 06/01/2012 of restricted stock units under employer plan data provided by plan administrator on 06/04/2012. Vesting occurs 25% per year over four years.
- (3) Shares withheld to cover required tax withholding on vesting of restricted stock units effective as of 06/01/2012 data provided by plan administrator on 06/04/2012.
- (4) With tandem tax withholding right

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