ALBI JOSEPH R Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or Form 5

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Symbol

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

CIMAREX ENERGY CO [XEC]

3 Date of Earliest Transaction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

ALBI JOSEPH R

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

1700 LINCOLN STREET SUITE 1800 (Street)				nate of Earliest 1r onth/Day/Year) 04/2013 Amendment, Dad(Month/Day/Year	te Original			Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
DENVER, CO 80203								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner										
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Y	Code	4. Securit on(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							132,555	D		
	Common Stock							800	I	By IRA	
	Common Stock							96	I	By 401(k)	
	Common Stock	01/04/2013		J	16,500 (1)	D	\$ 60.03	59,908	I	By Trust	
	Common Stock	01/04/2013		F	15,692	D	\$ 60.03	44,216	I	By Trust	

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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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)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8	of See Add (A Di of (In	umber		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code	V (A	A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ALBI JOSEPH R 1700 LINCOLN STREET SUITE 1800 DENVER, CO 80203

Executive VP, COO

Signatures

Thomas A. Richardson, attorney in fact

01/07/2013

**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) Represents shares forfeited pursuant to performance conditions under a Performance Award Agreement.

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