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COMSTOCK RESOURCES INC Form 4 December 17, 2004 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading BURNS ROLAND O Issuer Symbol COMSTOCK RESOURCES INC (Check all applicable) [CRK] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director 10% Owner X_Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 5300 TOWN AND COUNTRY 12/16/2004 Sr. VP & CFO BLVD., SUITE 500 (Street) 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 FRISCO, TX 75034-Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price (D) Common 12/16/2004 G 500 D 266,722 D 21.43 Stock Common 12/16/2004 G 3,000 D 263,722 D Stock 21.43 Common 12/16/2004 G 4,750 D 258,972 D Stock

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)	of Der Sec (A) Dis of ((Ins	ivativo urities juired or posed			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. P Der Sect (Ins
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options - 1996 C	\$ 11						04/01/1997	01/01/2006	Common Stock	100,000	
Stock Options - 1997 B	\$ 12.375						01/01/2002	01/01/2007	Common Stock	50,000	
Stock Options - 1999	\$ 3.875						07/01/2000	07/01/2008	Common Stock	135,000	
Stock Options - 2000	\$ 8.875						07/01/2004	07/01/2009	Common Stock	33,750	
Stock Options - 2001	\$ 6.42						12/14/2001	01/01/2005	Common Stock	32,500	
Stock Options - 2001	\$ 6.42						07/01/2005	07/01/2010	Common Stock	33,750	
Stock Options - 2002	\$ 9.2						01/01/2004	01/01/2009	Common Stock	33,750	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BURNS ROLAND O	Х		Sr. VP & CFO					
5300 TOWN AND COUNTRY BLVD.								

SUITE 500 FRISCO, TX 75034-

Signatures

Roland O Burns

12/17/2004

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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