PLANK ROGER B

Form 4 May 05, 2009

# 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 * PLANK ROGER B	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> 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 approach)		
ONE POST ONE CENTRAL, 2000 POST OAK BLVD, SUITE 100	(Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2009	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) President		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tabl</b>	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	05/04/2009		M(2)	1,775	A	\$0	66,127	D	
Common Stock (1)	05/04/2009		F(3)	647	D	\$ 76.97	65,480	D	
Common Stock (1)	05/04/2009		M(4)	1,650	A	\$ 0	67,130	D	
Common Stock (1)	05/04/2009		F(5)	602	D	\$ 76.97	66,528	D	
Common Stock (1)							12,134	I	By Spouse

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Common Stock (1)	22,346.529	I	By Trust				
Common Stock (1)	38,930	I	By trust fbo L.B. Plank				
Common Stock (1)	38,282.566	I	Held by trustee of 401(k) plan				
Common Stock (1)	15,462.715	I	Held by trustee of NQ Plan				
Common Stock (1)	43,524.471	I	Indian Creek Holdings L.P. (7)				
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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)	Code	Transaction Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units (8)	\$ 0 (9)	05/04/2009		M	1,775	(2)	(2)	Common Stock (1)	1,775	
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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PLANK ROGER B ONE POST ONE CENTRAL 2000 POST OAK BLVD, SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400

President

## **Signatures**

Cheri L. Peper, Attorney-in-Fact

05/05/2009

\*\*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 05/01/09 of restricted stock units under employer plan data provided by plan administrator on 05/04/09. Vesting occurs 25% per year over four years.
- (3) Shares withheld to cover required tax withholding on vesting of restricted stock effective as of 05/01/09 data provided by plan administrator on 05/04/09.
- (4) Vesting on 05/03/09 of restricted stock units under employer plan data provided by plan administrator on 05/04/09. Vesting occurs 25% per year over four years.
- (5) Shares withheld to cover required tax withholding on vesting of restricted stock effective as of 05/03/09 data provided by plan administrator on 05/04/09.
- (6) These shares are held in trust for the benefit of the reporting person's children. The reporting person and spouse are trustees.
- (7) Managing general partner of Indian Creek Holdings L.P.
- (8) With tandem tax withholding right
- (9) One share of Apache common stock for each restricted stock unit.

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