FIEDOREK EUGENE C

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock (1)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad FIEDOREK	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APACHE CORP [APA]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	APACH					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M	Middle) 3. Date of	Earliest Tra	ansaction				• •	
		(Month/D	ay/Year)				_X_ Director		Owner
2000 POST (100	JITE 09/14/20	09/14/2010				Officer (giv below)	below)	er (specify	
	(Street)	endment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line)			
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HOUSTON,						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securiti	ies Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	e 2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		onAcquired			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5))	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following Reported	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	09/14/2010		M(2)	909	A	\$0	42,996	D	

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock / Units (3)	\$ 0	09/14/2010		M	909	(2)	(2)	Common Stock (1)	909	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FIEDOREK EUGENE C 2000 POST OAK BLVD. SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056	X					

Signatures

Cheri L. Peper, Attorney-in-Fact

**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 09/14/2010 of restricted stock units granted to each of Apache's non-employee directors under 2007 Omnibus Equity Compensation Plan.
- (3) With tandem tax withholding right

Remarks:

Note: Also see attached Exhibit EX-24 POA.

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