PDC ENERGY, INC. Form 4

January 15, 2015

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Casabona Joseph E.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PDC ENERGY, INC. [PDCE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/13/2015

X\_ Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title below)

1775 SHERMAN STREET, #3000 (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

DENVER, CO 80203

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Other (specify

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

**COMMON STOCK** 

Security

(Instr. 3)

01/13/2015

(Month/Day/Year)

Code V Amount (D) 3,379

30,714

\$0

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 | 2. Conversion                            | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) |                      | 4.<br>Transactio | 5.<br>orNumber  | 6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date |     | 7. Title and Amount of                       | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu<br>Deriv  |
|------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------|---|-----------------------------------|-----|--|------------------------|---|
| Security<br>(Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month Day/ Teal)                    | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8)  | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Yea<br>e               | ar) | Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | Security<br>(Instr. 5) | Secur<br>Bene<br>Owne<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|                        |  |                                      |                      | Code V           | (A) (D)   | Date Ex<br>Exercisable Da         | •   | Title Amount or Number of Shares             |                        |   |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| 2                              | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| Casabona Joseph E.             |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |
| 1775 SHERMAN STREET, #3000     | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

DENVER, CO 80203 **Signatures** 

/s/ Joseph E. 01/15/2015 Casabona

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

## **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).
- These restricted stock units were acquired pursuant to the Amended and Restated 2010 Long-Term Equity Compensation Plan and will vest ratably over three years beginning on January 13, 2016.

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