

BERRY PETROLEUM CO
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CRAWFORD GEORGE T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BERRY PETROLEUM
COMPANY 5201 TRUXTUN

(Street)

BAKERSFIELD, CA 93309

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BERRY PETROLEUM CO [BRY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/05/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP of CA Production

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (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)
			Code	V	Amount	Price		
Class A Common Stock	06/05/2007		M		10,000	A \$ 6.25	10,303	D
Class A Common Stock	06/05/2007		J		3 ⁽⁷⁾	A \$ 0	2,238	I Held in 401(k) Plan
Class A Common Stock	06/05/2007		S		1,000	D \$ 38.56	9,303	D
Class A Common	06/05/2007		S		3,650	D \$ 38.55	5,653	D

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Nonstatutory Stock Option	\$ 7.8438					12/02/2001 12/01/2010	Class A Common Stock 40,000
Nonstatutory Stock Option	\$ 8.15					12/07/2002 12/07/2011	Class A Common Stock 40,000
Nonstatutory Stock Option	\$ 8.25					12/06/2003 12/06/2012	Class A Common Stock 30,000
Nonstatutory Stock Option	\$ 9.97					12/05/2004 12/05/2013	Class A Common Stock 40,000
Nonstatutory Stock Option	\$ 21.58					11/23/2005 11/23/2014	Class A Common Stock 40,000
Nonstatutory Stock Option	\$ 30.645					12/15/2006 12/15/2015	Class A Common Stock 20,000
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾					⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾	Class A Common Stock 3,700
Nonstatutory Stock Option	\$ 32.565					12/15/2007 12/14/2016	Class A Common Stock 20,000

