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Form 4

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Issuer

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			CIMAREX ENERGY CO [XEC]				CC]	(Check all applicable)			
(Month/				ate of Earliest Transaction ath/Day/Year) 06/2018				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive VP, COO			
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) DENVER, CO 80203						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (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)	
Common Stock								800	I	By IRA	
Common Stock								368	I	By 401(k)	
Common Stock	12/06/2018			A	19,894 (1)	A	\$ 0	128,628	D		
Common Stock	12/06/2018			A	16,619 (2)	A	\$ 0	145,247	D		
Common Stock	12/09/2018			J	14,194	A	\$ 0	43,607	I	By Trust	

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Common Stock	12/09/2018	F	11,144 (3)	D	\$ 75.22	134,103	D
Common Stock	12/09/2018	J	11,385 (4)	D	\$ 75.22	122,718	D
Common Stock	12/09/2018	J	14,194 (5) (6)	D	\$0	108,524	D

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of	9. Nu
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						LACICISABIC			of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Executive VP, COO

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

ALBI JOSEPH R 1700 LINCOLN STREET SUITE 3700 DENVER, CO 80203

Signatures

Francis B. Barron, as 12/10/2018 Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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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).
- (1) Represents an award of restricted stock that will vest in its entirety on December 1, 2021 provided that the reporting person remains in the continuous employment of Cimarex through that date.
- (2) Represents a performance award of restricted stock that is subject to the satisfaction of certain performance criteria through December 1, 2021 provided that the reporting person remains in continuous employment with Cimarex through that date
- (3) Relates to performance award with a vesting date of 12/9/2018. Represents shares vested but withheld for taxes as permitted by the award agreement.
- (4) Represents shares forfeited pursuant to performance conditions under a Performance Award Agreement.
- (5) Represents 12/9/2018 vested shares, which upon vesting were transferred to a trust.
- (6) The amount of securities beneficially owned as reported in column 5 includes 19,894 shares of restricted stock subject to service-based vesting and 88,630 shares subject to service-based vesting and the satisfaction of certain performance criteria.

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