Douglas Margaret C. Form 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Douglas Margaret C.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP [APC]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
	KO PETROLEU ATION, 1201 LA	11,00,2012					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Chief Accounting Officer			
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
THE WOO	DDLANDS, TX 7	7380					Form filed by MePerson	ore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		rate, if Transaction Code	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of	5) Price	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	11/07/2012		S	2,307	D	\$ 71.1424 (1)	10,775	D		
Common Stock							8,984	I	401(k) Plan	
Reminder: Re	eport on a separate lin	e for each class	s of securities bene	ficially ow	ned d	irectly or in	directly.			

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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 orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 70.7	11/05/2012		A	17,731	(2)	11/05/2019	Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	17,731
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	11/05/2012		A	5,694	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,694

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Douglas Margaret C. ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION 1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380			VP, Chief Accounting Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Linda Mansker by power of atty. for Margaret C.
Douglas

11/07/2012

**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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$71.131 to \$71.152. The price reported above reflects the (1) weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertgakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (2) The option is exercisable in three annual installments beginning one year after the date of grant.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of APC common stock.

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(4) The restricted stock units vest in three annual installments beginning one year after the date of grant.

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