#### ARENA RESOURCES INC

Form 4

January 25, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Rochford Living Trust Lloyd Timothy Rochford, Trustee

> (First) (Last)

(Middle)

**5 CLANCY LANE SOUTH** 

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ARENA RESOURCES INC [ARD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2007

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

President, CEO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_\_ Director

X\_ Officer (give title

\_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

Issuer

below)

RANCHO MIRAGE, CA 92270

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(State)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

D

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

(City)

(Instr. 3)

847,700 (1)

(A)

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. I Der Sec (In:
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 3.7					04/01/2004	10/01/2008	Common Stock	125,000 (2)	
Stock Option	\$ 8.3					01/02/2006	01/02/2010	Common Stock	125,000 (2)	
Stock Option	\$ 38.46	01/22/2007	01/22/2007	A	1	01/22/2008	01/22/2012	Common Stock	75,000 (2)	\$

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Rochford Living Trust Lloyd Timothy Rochford, Trustee 5 CLANCY LANE SOUTH RANCHO MIRAGE, CA 92270	X		President, CEO			

## **Signatures**

Lloyd Timothy
Rochford

\*\*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).
- (1) The common stock reported in Table I, Column 5, is owned in the name of the Rochford Living Trust, of which Lloyd T. Rochford is the Trustee and beneficial owner.
- (2) Options are exercisable for 20% of the underlying shares, per year, over five years. The options are currently held by Lloyd Timothy Rochford, individually.

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