

Martin Lawrence D
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Martin Lawrence D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1183 EAST CANVASBACK
DRIVE

(Street)

TERRE HAUTE, IN 47802

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

HALLADOR ENERGY CO [HPCO]

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

11/24/2009

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 ____X____ Other (specify
below) below)

CFO, Sunrise Coal LLC

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

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)	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	(D)	Price

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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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. I

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1) (2)	11/24/2009	A		12,500		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	12,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Martin Lawrence D 1183 EAST CANVASBACK DRIVE TERRE HAUTE, IN 47802	CFO, Sunrise Coal LLC

Signatures

Victor P. Stabio, AIF for Lawrence
Martin 01/20/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Hallador Energy Company common stock.

The restricted stock units vest on November 24, 2012. If employment terminates prior to vesting, the restricted stock units shall be
(2) immediately cancelled and the reporting person shall cease to have any right or entitlement to receive any shares under those cancelled units.

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