Leon Alfonso Form 4 February 11, 2013

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Leon Alfonso

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

APACHE CORP [APA]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) C/O APACHE

(Zin)

02/08/2013

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Senior Vice President

CORPORATION, 2000 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 100

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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HOUSTON, TX 77056

(City)

(City)	(State)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	02/08/2013		M	6,533	A	\$0	10,915.927	D	
Common Stock (1)	02/08/2013		F(2)	1,822	D	\$ 84.65	9,093.927	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock / Units (3)	\$ 0 (4)	02/08/2013		M	6,533	<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Common Stock (1)	6,533	\$

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
or a second of the second of t	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Leon Alfonso C/O APACHE CORPORATION 2000 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056			Senior Vice President				

# **Signatures**

Cheri L. Peper, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*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).
- The shares of common stock of Apache are deemed to also represent certain preferred stock purchase rights ('Rights'). The Rights are not currently exercisable or separately tradable and presently are evidenced by certificates for shares of the common stock. Value attributable to such Rights, if any, is reflected in the market price of the common stock.
- (2) Shares withheld to cover required tax withholding on 02/08/13 vesting of restricted stock.
- (3) With tandem tax withholding right
- (4) One share of Apache common stock for each restricted stock unit.
- Pursuant to an award agreement dated 01/09/2013, under an employer plan, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units. The restricted stock units vest 30 days after grant.

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