

HELMERICH HANS  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HELMERICH HANS**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HELMERICH & PAYNE INC [HP]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**1437 SOUTH BOULDER AVE.**  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**11/28/2012**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**CEO**

**TULSA, OK 74119**  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
Common Stock	11/28/2012		M	V	180,000	A	\$ 13.87	909,809	D	
Common Stock	11/28/2012		F		101,690	D	\$ 50.9	808,119	D	
Common Stock								12,675	I	By daughter (1)
Common Stock								9,675	I	By daughter (1)
								37,470	I	



## 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 reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the shares for purposes of Section 16 or otherwise.
- (2) The reporting person became the trustee of a trust upon the death of a family member.
- (3) The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan on 12/4/2002. The noted date represents the first date options vested.

### Remarks:

The reporting person no longer has a reportable beneficial interest in 18,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock owned by his

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