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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

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 *Bell John R.			Symbol		nd Ticker or Trading ayne, Inc. [HP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Tienner		tyne, me. [m]	(Che	ck all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	of Earliest	Transaction				
			(Month/I	Day/Year)		Director	10% Owner		
1437 S. BC	OULDER AVE	Ξ.	12/05/2	2016		_X_ Officer (gives below)	ve title Other (specify below)		
						Vice Pres	s., Corporate Services		
	(Street)		4. If Am	endment, I	Date Original	6. Individual or J	oint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Mo	onth/Day/Ye	ar)	Applicable Line)			
							One Reporting Person		
TULSA, OK 74119						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficially Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction	Date 2A. Dee	med	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership 7. Nature		

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/05/2016		A	5,318	A	\$ 0	40,672	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2016		F	404	D	\$ 79.92	40,268	D	
Common Stock							1,800	I	401(k) account

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ivative Expiration Date urities (Month/Day/Year) quired (A) Disposed of etr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 81.31	12/05/2016		A	22,485	12/05/2017(1)	12/05/2026	Common Stock	22,485

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bell John R.

1437 S. BOULDER AVE. Vice Pres., Corporate Services

TULSA, OK 74119

Signatures

Jonathan M. Cinocca, by power of attorney for John R.

Bell 12/07/2016

**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 options vest 25% a year over four years. The noted date is the first date options vest.

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