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(Print or Type I	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CHANG WAYNE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SANDRIDGE ENERGY INC [SD]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) 123 ROBER	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/20/2010					(Check all applicable) <u></u> Director 10% Owner <u></u> Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP - Midstream					
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(City) 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) Common Stock	(State) 2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea 07/20/2010	ar) Executio any	med on Date, if	a I - Non-D 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V F	4. Securi m(A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	ties Ad isposed	cquired d of	Juired, Disposed o 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 77,590	f, or Beneficial 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) D	7. Nature of	
Common Stock								5,006	Ι	by 401(k)	

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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amou Under Secur	le and int of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Rel		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CHANG WAYNE 123 ROBERT S. KERR AVENUE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102-6406			SVP - Midstream	
Signatures				
By: Gaye A. Wilkerson, Power of				
Attorney	(07/22/2010		
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date		

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On July 16, 2010, Steel Subsidiary Corporation ("Merger Sub"), a wholly owned subsidiary of SandRidge Energy, Inc. (the "Company"), merged with and into Arena Resources, Inc. ("Arena"), in accordance with that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of April 3, 2010, among the Company, Merger Sub and Arena, as amended. The merger transaction constituted a "Change in Control" under the

(1) SandRidge Energy, Inc. Nonqualified Excess Plan (the "NQ Plan"). As a result of the Change in Control, the reporting person received a distribution from the NQ Plan. This distribution consisted of cash and shares of the Company's common stock, all of which was subject to tax withholding. The Board of Directors of the Company permitted the executive officers to satisfy the portion of such shares withheld by the Company sufficient to satisfy this tax withholding obligation.

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