Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc.

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FORM 4

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1(b).

Common

Common

Stock

Stock

06/21/2013

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(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Pe Graham Patrick A	Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Mid	Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc. [BCEI] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O BONANZA CREEK ENE INC., 410 17TH STREET, SUI 1400	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Director10% Owner Some of the property of the pr			
(Street)	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
DENVER, CO 80202		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Z	Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
(Instr. 3)	2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A Execution Date, if Transactiom Disposed of (D) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)			

9,250

4,250

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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134,991 (3)

35.0755 139,241

\$ 35.962

(2)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	•	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Shares	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	12/31/2015	Common Stock	3,028 (4)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Graham Patrick A C/O BONANZA CREEK ENERGY, INC. 410 17TH STREET, SUITE 1400 DENVER, CO 80202

Executive VP-Corp Development

Signatures

/s/ Christopher I. Humber as Attorney-in-Fact

06/25/2013

**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 sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b-5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
 - The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$34.58 to \$36.28, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc., any security holder of Bonanza Creek
- Energy, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each seperate price within the range set forth in this footnote to the Form 4.
- (3) Includes (i) 38,068 shares of common stock and (ii) 96,923 shares of restricted common stock subject to vesting.
- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive 0-200% of that number of shares of common stock. The amount listed (4) represents what the Reporting Person would receive at the target or 100% level. The performance shares vest upon continued employment and achievement of certain predetermined performance goals.

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