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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Gaspar Clay M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO

/DE/ [NFX]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

09/09/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

VP-Mid-Continent

4 WATERWAY SQUARE PLACE,

(Street)

(State)

STE 100

(City)

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

or

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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of Underlying

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5))	(Month/Day/Year)		Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	09/09/2013		M	20,000	08/15/2014	08/15/2016	common stock	20,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Gaspar Clay M 4 WATERWAY SQUARE PLACE, STE 100 THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

VP-Mid-Continent

Signatures

/s/ Melissa L. Mong as attorney-in-fact for Clay M. Gaspar

09/11/2013

**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 shares subject to this award will vest in three equal installments on August 15, 2014, 2015 and 2016.

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