

APACHE CORP

Form 3

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FORM 3**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *

HARRIS MARGERY M

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

09/12/2007

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
APACHE CORP [APA]4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)ONE POST OAK
CENTRAL, 2000 POST OAK
BLVD, SUITE 100

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner☒ Officer ☐ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

Vice President

HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

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 Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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currently valid OMB control number.****Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)Date
Exercisable

Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

Title

Amount or
Number of4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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				Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Option (Buy \$80.25)	Â (1)	09/11/2017	Common Stock (2)	5,000	\$ 80.25	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units (3)	Â (5)	09/11/2011(6)	Common Stock (2)	5,000	\$ 0 (4)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HARRIS MARGERY M ONE POST OAK CENTRAL 2000 POST OAK BLVD, SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400	Â	Â	Â Vice President	Â

Signatures

Margery Harris 09/17/2007

Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Stock option granted under employer plan - exercisable ratably over four years beginning 09/11/2008.
The shares of common stock of Apache are deemed to also represent certain preferred stock purchase rights ('Rights'). The Rights are not currently exercisable or separately tradable and presently are evidenced by certificates for shares of the common stock. Value attributable to such Rights, if any, is reflected in the market price of the common stock.
- (2) With tandem tax withholding right
- (3) One share of Apache common stock for each restricted stock unit.
- (4) Restricted units granted under employer plan - the units vest 25% per year on 10/01/2008, 09/11/2009, 09/11/2010 and 09/11/2011.
- (5) Restricted units granted under employer plan. The units vest ratably over four years beginning one year from date of grant.

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