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obligations may continu <i>See</i> Instruct 1(b).	e. Section 17(	a) of the I	Public U		ding Cor	npan	y Act	of 1935 or Secti			
(Print or Type Res	sponses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> JEPPESEN JON A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol APACHE CORP [APA]				ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (C				(Che	eck all applicable)			
				(Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2009				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Exec. Vice President			
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tat	ole I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
	Transaction Date Ionth/Day/Year)	Execution any	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) and and (A) or	) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price				
Reminder: Report	on a separate line	for each cl	ass of sec	urities benet	Perso inform requir	ns wi natior red to iys a	ho res n cont respo	or indirectly. Spond to the colle ained in this form ond unless the fo ntly valid OMB co	n are not rm	SEC 1474 (9-02)	
	Tabl			curities Acq ls, warrants				Beneficially Owner securities)	d		

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8.1
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	De

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year) f		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Sec (In
				Code V	7 (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units (1)	\$ 0 <u>(2)</u>	11/18/2009		М	20,000		(3)	(3)	Common Stock (4)	20,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
JEPPESEN JON A ONE POST OAK CENTRAL 2000 POST OAK BOULEVARD, SU HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400	JITE 100		Exec. Vice President					
Signatures								
Cheri L. Peper, Attorney-in-Fact	11/19/2009							
**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) With tandem tax withholding right
- (2) One share of Apache common stock for each restricted stock unit.

Pursuant to a restricted stock unit award agreement dated 11/18/2009, the reporting person was granted 20,000 restricted stock units. The restricted stock units will vest 4,000 on each of 12/31/2010, 11/18/2011, 11/19/2012, 11/18/2013, and 11/18/2014. Upon vesting, Apache

(3) restricted stock units will vest 4,000 on each of 12/3/12/10, 11/13/2012, 11/13/2002, 11/13/2002, 11/13/2002, 11/13/2002, 11/13/2000, 11/13/2000, 11/13/2002, 11/13/2002, 11/13/2002, 11/13/2002,

The shares of common stock of Apache are deemed to also represent certain preferred stock purchase rights ('Rights'). The Rights are not(4) 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.

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