BAHORICH MICHAEL S

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BAHORICH MICHAEL S** Issuer Symbol APACHE CORP [APA] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify ONE POST OAK CENTRAL, 2000 01/21/2010 below) POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 100 Exec Vice President / & Technology Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400 Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Nor	n-De	rivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of		2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed			3. 4. Securities			5. Amount of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		ctio	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect Beneficial
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	(Instr. 3,	,	1	Beneficially Owned	(D) or Indirect (I)	Ownership
		•	Ì					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)			
			C 1	3 7	or		(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Stock (1)	01/21/2010		G	V	1,800	D	\$ 0	27,728	D	
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Common										By Trust fbo
Stock (1)	01/21/2010		G	V	1,800	A	\$0	4,950	I	Nephews
Stock <u></u>										& Nieces

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

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	•				(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		Or Number		
						Exercisable	rcisable Date	Title Number of			
				C + V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

BAHORICH MICHAEL S ONE POST OAK CENTRAL 2000 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400

Exec Vice President & Technology Officer

Signatures

Cheri L. Peper, 01/21/2010 Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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