

ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 HACKETT JAMES T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP
 [APC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman & CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION, 1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/09/2010

(Street)
 THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	11/10/2010		M	29,767	A \$ 0	286,422	D
Common Stock	11/10/2010		F	10,850	D \$ 65.57	275,572	D
Common Stock						71,750	I By Trust
Common Stock						5,933	I 401 (k) Plan

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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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
					V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.34	11/09/2010		A		188,044		(1)	11/09/2017	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	11/09/2010		A		79,571		(3)	(3)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	11/10/2010		M		29,767		(3)	(3)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HACKETT JAMES T ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION 1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380	X		Chairman & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Linda Mansker by power of atty. for James T. Hackett
11/12/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) The option is exercisable in three annual installments beginning one year after the date of the grant.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of APC common stock.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in three annual installments beginning one year after the date of the grant.

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