QEP RESOURCES, INC. Form SC 13G August 06, 2015

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

### QEP RESOURCES, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

### COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE

(Title of Class of Securities)

### 74733V100

(CUSIP Number)

### **JULY 31, 2015**

(Date of event which requires filing of this statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

o Rule 13d-1(b)

þ Rule 13d-1(c)

o Rule 13d-1(d)

The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the notes).

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
Integrated Assets II LLC
CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(b) þ
SEC USE ONLY
CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Delaware
                                              NUMBER OF
                                                SHARES
                                             BENEFICIALLY
                                               OWNED BY
                                                 EACH
                                              REPORTING
                                              PERSON WITH
SOLE VOTING POWER
-0-
SHARED VOTING POWER
1,206,581
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
1,206,581
AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
1,206,581
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
0.7%
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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
Integrated Assets, Ltd.
CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(b) þ
SEC USE ONLY
CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Cayman Islands
                                               NUMBER OF
                                                SHARES
                                             BENEFICIALLY
                                               OWNED BY
                                                 EACH
                                               REPORTING
                                              PERSON WITH
SOLE VOTING POWER
-0-
SHARED VOTING POWER
1,828,908
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
1,828,908
AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
1,828,908
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
1.0%
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CO

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Cognizant Holdings, Ltd.
CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(b) þ
SEC USE ONLY
CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Cayman Islands
                                              NUMBER OF
                                                SHARES
                                             BENEFICIALLY
                                               OWNED BY
                                                 EACH
                                               REPORTING
                                              PERSON WITH
SOLE VOTING POWER
-0-
SHARED VOTING POWER
3,129,586
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
3,129,586
AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
3,129,586
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
1.8%
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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
Millennium International Management LP
CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
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SEC USE ONLY
CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Delaware
                                               NUMBER OF
                                                SHARES
                                              BENEFICIALLY
                                               OWNED BY
                                                 EACH
                                               REPORTING
                                              PERSON WITH
SOLE VOTING POWER
-0-
SHARED VOTING POWER
7,942,660
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
7,942,660
AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
7,942,660
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
4.5%
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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
Millennium International Management GP LLC
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SEC USE ONLY
CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Delaware
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                                              BENEFICIALLY
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                                              PERSON WITH
SOLE VOTING POWER
-0-
SHARED VOTING POWER
7,942,660
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
7,942,660
AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
7,942,660
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
4.5%
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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
Millennium Management LLC
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(b) þ
SEC USE ONLY
CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Delaware
                                              NUMBER OF
                                                SHARES
                                             BENEFICIALLY
                                               OWNED BY
                                                 EACH
                                              REPORTING
                                             PERSON WITH
SOLE VOTING POWER
-0-
SHARED VOTING POWER
9,933,856
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
9,933,856
AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
9,933,856
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
5.6%
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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
Israel A. Englander
CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(b) þ
SEC USE ONLY
CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
United States
                                              NUMBER OF
                                                SHARES
                                             BENEFICIALLY
                                               OWNED BY
                                                 EACH
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                                              PERSON WITH
SOLE VOTING POWER
-0-
SHARED VOTING POWER
9,933,856
SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-
SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
9,933,856
AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
9,933,856
10
CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
11
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PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
5.6% 12
TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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Item 1.	
(a) <u>Name of Issuer</u> :	
QEP Resources, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the	"Issuer").
(b) Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices:	
1050 17th Street, Suite 800 Denver, Colorado 80265	
Item 2. (a) Name of Person Filing:	
(b) Address of Principal Business Office:	
(c) <u>Citizenship</u> :	
Integrated Core Strategies (US) LLC c/o Millennium Management LLC 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Delaware	

Integrated Assets II LLC c/o Millennium Management LLC

New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Delaware

666 Fifth Avenue

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Integrated Assets, Ltd. c/o Millennium International Management LP 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Cayman Islands

ICS Opportunities, Ltd. c/o Millennium International Management LP 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Cayman Islands

Cognizant Holdings, Ltd. c/o Millennium International Management LP 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Cayman Islands

Millennium International Management LP 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Delaware

Millennium International Management GP LLC 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Delaware

Millennium Management LLC 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: Delaware

Israel A. Englander c/o Millennium Management LLC 666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 Citizenship: United States

(d)Title of Class of Securities:common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock")

(e)<u>CUSIP Number:</u> 74733V100

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Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b), check whether the person filing is a:
(a) o Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
(b) o Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(c) o Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(d) o Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
(e) o An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
(f) o An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);

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	(h) o A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
(g) o A parent holding company or control person in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);	(i) o A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
Item 4. Ownership	(j) o Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

#### (a) Amount Beneficially Owned

As of the close of business on August 5, 2015:

- i) Integrated Core Strategies (US) LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Integrated Core Strategies"), beneficially owned 784,615 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock:
- ii) Integrated Assets II LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Integrated Assets II"), beneficially owned 1,206,581 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock;
- iii) Integrated Assets, Ltd., an exempted limited company organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands ("Integrated Assets"), beneficially owned 1,828,908 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock;
- iv) ICS Opportunities, Ltd., an exempted limited company organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands ("ICS Opportunities"), beneficially owned 2,984,166 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock; and
- v) Cognizant Holdings, Ltd., an exempted limited company organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands ("Cognizant Holdings"), beneficially owned 3,129,586 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock (consisting of 2,074,286 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock and listed options to purchase 1,055,300 shares of the Issuer s Common Stock).

Millennium International Management LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("Millennium International Management"), is the investment manager to Integrated Assets, ICS Opportunities and Cognizant Holdings and may be deemed to have shared voting control and investment discretion over securities owned by Integrated Assets, ICS Opportunities and Cognizant Holdings.

Millennium International Management GP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Millennium International Management GP"), is the general partner of Millennium International Management and may also be deemed to have shared voting control and investment discretion over securities owned by Integrated Assets, ICS Opportunities and Cognizant Holdings.

Millennium Management LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Millennium Management") is the general partner of the managing member of Integrated Core Strategies and Integrated Assets II and may be deemed to have shared voting control and investment discretion over securities owned by Integrated Core Strategies and Integrated Assets II. Millennium Management is also the general partner of the 100%

shareholder of Integrated Assets, ICS Opportunities and Cognizant Holdings and may be deemed to have shared voting control and investment discretion over securities owned by Integrated Assets, ICS Opportunities and Cognizant Holdings.

Israel A. Englander, a United States citizen ("Mr. Englander"), is the managing member of Millennium International Management GP and Millennium Management and may also be deemed to have shared voting control and investment discretion over securities owned by Integrated Core Strategies, Integrated Assets II, Integrated Assets, ICS Opportunities and Cognizant Holdings.

The foregoing should not be construed in and of itself as an admission by Millennium International Management, Millennium International Management GP, Millennium Management or Mr. Englander as to beneficial ownership of the securities owned by Integrated Core Strategies, Integrated Assets II, Integrated Assets, ICS Opportunities or Cognizant Holdings, as the case may be.

### (b) Percent of Class:

As of the close of business on August 5, 2015, Millennium Management and Mr. Englander may be deemed to have beneficially owned 9,933,856 shares or 5.6% of the Issuer s Common Stock outstanding (see Item 4(a) above), which percentage was calculated based on 176,667,217 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of June 30, 2015, as per the Issuer s Form 10-Q dated August 3, 2015.

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of 17 (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote
-0-
(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote
9,933,856 (See Item 4(b))
(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of
-0-
(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of
9,933,856 (See Item 4(b))
Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class
If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following $\circ$ .
Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.
Not applicable.
Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company.
Not applicable.
Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group
See Exhibit I.
Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group
Not applicable.

### Item 10. Certification

By signing below each of the undersigned certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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of 17 Exhibits:	
	5, by and among Integrated Core Strategies (US) LLC, Integrated Assets II LLC, oldings, Ltd., Millennium International Management LP, Millennium International

Management GP LLC, Millennium Management LLC and Israel A. Englander.

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SIGNATURE			
After reasonable inquiry and to the best of its knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information with respect to it set forth in this statement is true, complete, and correct.			
Dated: August 5, 2015			
INTEGRATED CORE STRATEGIES (US) LLC			
By: Integrated Holding Group LP, its Managing Member			
By: Millennium Management LLC, its General Partner			
By: /s/ David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman			
INTEGRATED ASSETS II LLC			
By: Integrated Holding Group LP, its Managing Member			
By: Millennium Management LLC, its General Partner			
By: /s/ David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman			
INTEGRATED ASSETS, LTD.			
By: Millennium International Management LP, its Investment Manager			

By: /s/David Nolan

Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### ICS OPPORTUNITIES, LTD.

By: Millennium International Management LP, its Investment Manager

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### COGNIZANT HOLDINGS, LTD.

By: Millennium International Management LP, its Investment Manager

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### MILLENNIUM INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT LP

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### MILLENNIUM INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT GP LLC

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### MILLENNIUM MANAGEMENT LLC

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

/s/ Israel A. Englander by David Nolan pursuant to Power of Attorney filed with the SEC on June 6, 2005 Israel A. Englander

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### EXHIBIT I JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

This will confirm the agreement by and among the undersigned that the Schedule 13G filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on or about the date hereof with respect to the beneficial ownership by the undersigned of the Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of QEP Resources, Inc., a Delaware corporation, will be filed on behalf of each of the persons and entities named below in accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Dated: August 5, 2015

#### INTEGRATED CORE STRATEGIES (US) LLC

By: Integrated Holding Group LP, its Managing Member

By: Millennium Management LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

#### INTEGRATED ASSETS II LLC

By: Integrated Holding Group LP, its Managing Member

By: Millennium Management LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

#### INTEGRATED ASSETS, LTD.

By: Millennium International Management LP, its Investment Manager

By: /s/David Nolan

Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### ICS OPPORTUNITIES, LTD.

By: Millennium International Management LP, its Investment Manager

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### COGNIZANT HOLDINGS, LTD.

By: Millennium International Management LP, its Investment Manager

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### MILLENNIUM INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT LP

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### MILLENNIUM INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT GP LLC

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

### MILLENNIUM MANAGEMENT LLC

By: /s/David Nolan Name: David Nolan Title: Vice Chairman

/s/ Israel A. Englander by David Nolan pursuant to Power of Attorney filed with the SEC on June 6, 2005 Israel A. Englander