#### ABRAXAS PETROLEUM CORP

Form 4 April 04, 2007

## FORM 4

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad WALLACE		_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABRAXAS PETROLEUM CORP [ABP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 500 N. LOOF	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/04/2007	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
SAN ANTON	(Street)	3232	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)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non-De	erivative Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Pri	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)
Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock					24,416	D	
Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock					10,832 (1)	I	401(K) Plan

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. DenNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying So (Instr. 3 and 4	ecurities	8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Options	(2)					(3)	<u>(4)</u>	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	138,500	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALLACE WILLIAM H Vice
500 N. LOOP 1604 E. President SAN ANTONIO, TX 78232 Operations

## **Signatures**

William H. 04/04/2007

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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) Between January 1 and March 31, 2007, the reporting person acquired 2,610 shares of ABP common stock under the ABP 401(K) plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of March 31, 2007.
- (2) Conversion prices range from \$0.65 \$4.59.
- (3) All except 41,250 options are currently exercisable, the remaining 41,250 vest at various dates from April 24, 2007 through September 13, 2009.
- (4) Options expire at various dates through 9/13/2015.

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