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1(b).

(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 Bowers Kimberly S. Issuer Symbol VALERO ENERGY CORP/TX (Check all applicable) [VLO] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) P.O. BOX 696000 12/27/2012 EVP and GC (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

Person

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78269-6000

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) coor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			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)
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	12/27/2012		Code V M	Amount 85,825	(D)	Price \$ 19.415	236,300	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	12/27/2012		S	63,220	D	\$ 33.2089	173,080	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	12/27/2012		M	8,334	A	\$ 18.985	181,414	D	

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Stock, \$.01 par 12/27/2012 S 6,071 D \$ 33.2089 175,343 $\$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$ 175,343 \ \$$

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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. Number of orDerivative 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.415	12/27/2012		M	85,825	10/15/2010	10/15/2019	Common Stock	85,825
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.985	12/27/2012		M	8,334	11/17/2011	11/17/2020	Common Stock	8,334

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bowers Kimberly S.			EVP				
P.O. BOX 696000			- ' -				
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78269-6000			and GC				

Signatures

J. Stephen Gilbert, as Attorney-in-Fact for Kimberly S.
Bowers

12/31/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) The 175,343 amount does not include 1,863.3500 shares indirectly owned by the reporting person in a thrift plan.

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