NOBLE ENERGY INC

Form 4 June 13, 2014

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Noble Energy,

Inc.

Common Stock 06/11/2014

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Putnam Michael W.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NOBLE ENERGY INC [NBL]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (N	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			Director	• •	Owner		
1001 NOBLE ENERGY WAY			06/11/2014					Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Origin Filed(Month/Day/Year)			1		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
HOUSTON	, TX 77070								More than One Re	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative (Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	spose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	06/11/2014			M	4,224		\$ 14.94	20,820	D	

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

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4,224 D

16,596

\$ 75

D

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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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
Employee Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	\$ 14.94	06/11/2014		M	4,224	02/01/2006	02/01/2015	Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock	4,224

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Putnam Michael W.						
1001 NOBLE ENERGY WAY			VP			
HOUSTON, TX 77070						

Signatures

Aaron G. Carlson, Attorney-in-Fact 06/13/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

Remarks:

Transaction pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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Column 5 of Table I includes 12,588 restricted shares of Noble Energy, Inc. Common Stock directly held by the reporting personal Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.