

FARRIS G STEVEN

Form 4

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FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FARRIS G STEVEN

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE POST OAK CENTRAL, 2000
POST OAK BLVD, SUITE 100

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
APACHE CORP [APA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/17/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below)

Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|---|--|
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> | 03/17/2009 | | G | V 1,050 D \$ 0 | 551,003 | D | |
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> | 03/17/2009 | | G ⁽²⁾ | V 1,400 D \$ 0 | 549,603 | D | |
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> | 03/17/2009 | | G ⁽³⁾ | V 350 D \$ 0 | 549,253 | D | |
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> | 10/08/2009 | | G ⁽⁴⁾ | V 50 A \$ 0 | 549,303 | D | |
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> | | | | | 300 | I | By Son |

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|-----------------------------|------------|------------------|---|-------|---|------|------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 03/17/2009 | G ⁽²⁾ | V | 1,400 | A | \$ 0 | 10,050 | I | By Trust fbo Grandchildren |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 10/08/2009 | G ⁽⁴⁾ | V | 50 | D | \$ 0 | 10,000 | I | By Trust fbo Grandchildren |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 03/17/2009 | G ⁽³⁾ | V | 350 | A | \$ 0 | 3,450 | I | By Trust fbo Son |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | | | | | 51,663.645 | I | Held by trustee of 401(k) plan |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | | | | | | | 21,938.32 | I | Held by Trustee of NQ 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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 3) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| FARRIS G STEVEN ONE POST OAK CENTRAL 2000 POST OAK BLVD, SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400 | X Chairman and CEO |

Signatures

Cheri L. Peper,
Attorney-in-Fact

10/13/2009

__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).

The shares of common stock of Apache are deemed to also represent certain preferred stock purchase rights ('Rights'). The Rights are not

(1) currently exercisable or separately tradable and presently are evidenced by certificates for shares of the common stock. Value attributable to such Rights, if any, is reflected in the market price of the common stock.

(2) Gifts to trusts for benefit of grandchildren.

(3) Gift to trust for benefit of son.

(4) Gift from trusts for benefit of grandchildren.

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