#### CARRIZO OIL & GAS INC

Form 4

August 28, 2014

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(City)

Common

Stock

(State)

08/28/2014

(Zip)

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JOHNSON S P IV |                                 |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |
|--|---------------------------------|----------|--|--|--|--|
|  | CARRIZO OIL & GAS INC<br>[CRZO] |          | 01-11-11-10-01-01-01-01-01-01-01-01-01-0           | (Check all applicable)   |  |  |
| (Last)   | (First)                         | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)   | _X_ Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify the leave)                               |  |  |
| 500 DALLAS STREET, SUITE 2300                            |                                 |          | 08/28/2014   | below) below) President and CEO  |  |  |
| (Street)   |                                 |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |
| HOUSTON, T   | X 77002                         |          | Filed(Month/Day/Year)                              | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |

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|-----------------|---------------------|---|-------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| 1.Title of      | 2. Transaction Date |   | 3.          | 4. Securities Acquired          | 5. Amount of     | 6.           | 7. Nature of |  |
| Security        | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if  | Transaction | on(A) or Disposed of (D)        | Securities       | Ownership    | Indirect     |  |
| (Instr. 3)      |                     | any   | Code        | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)             | Beneficially     | Form: Direct | Beneficial   |  |
|                 |                     | (Month/Day/Year)  | (Instr. 8)  |                                 | Owned            | (D) or       | Ownership    |  |
|                 |                     |   |             |                                 | Following        | Indirect (I) | (Instr. 4)   |  |
|                 |                     |   |             | (4)                             | Reported         | (Instr. 4)   |              |  |
|                 |                     |   |             | (A)                             | Transaction(s)   |              |              |  |
|                 |                     |   | Code V      | or<br>Amount (D) Price          | (Instr. 3 and 4) |              |              |  |
| Common<br>Stock | 08/28/2014          |   | M           | $34,584  \frac{A}{(1)}  \$ \ 0$ | 680,958          | D            |              |  |

34,584

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

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration D<br>(Month/Day/ | ate                | 7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4) |                                  |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable                          | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amour<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shar |
| Stock<br>Appreciation<br>Rights                     | \$ 0  | 08/28/2014                           |   | M                                      | 34,584<br>(2)  | (3)  | 07/14/2015         | Common<br>Stock   | 34,58                            |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                   |       |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |  |  |
| JOHNSON S P IV<br>500 DALLAS STREET<br>SUITE 2300<br>HOUSTON, TX 77002 | X             |           | President and CEO |       |  |  |

## **Signatures**

/s/ David L. Pitts,
attorney-in-fact 08/28/2014

\*\*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).
  - Pursuant to the requirements of Form 4, the exercise of cash settled stock appreciation rights are presented as an acquisition and
- (1) disposition of common stock. Contrary to this presentation, because the stock appreciation rights were settled in cash, no shares of common stock were issued to or sold by the reporting person.
- (2) These stock appreciation rights are settled solely in cash.
- (3) These stock appreciation rights vested in three equal installments on May 29, 2012, May 29, 2013 and May 29, 2014.

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