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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Van't Hof Matthew Kaes				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Diamondback Energy, Inc. [ FANG ]											all app	licable) tor	ing Person(s) to Is		wner	
(Last)	(Fir	,	Midd	lle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2023										X	belov	′	Other (s below)		specify
SUITE 100				4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
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(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)				l_	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication														
						Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														
		Table	۱-	Non-Deriva	tive S	Secui	rities	Acc	quir	ed, D	isposed	of, o	r B	eneficia	ally	Own	ed			
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Common Stock 1				12/14/2023	23		:		S		4,000	D	\$	3153.316	<b>5</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	151,980			D	
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Derivative Conversion Date Execu Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			. Deemed ecution Date, iny onth/Day/Year)	ate, Transa Code (				Exp	piration	exercisable and on Date and Date and Date and Date and Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)				9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code V (A) (		(D)	Date ) Exercisa		Expiration Date			Amount or Number of Shares							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

## Remarks:

/s/ Teresa L. Dick, as attorneyin-fact for Matthew Kaes Van't 12/18/2023 **Hof** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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