FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WEXFORD CAPITAL LP					2. I <u>Di</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Diamondback Energy, Inc. [FANG]							(5. Relationship of Re (Check all applicable X Director Officer (give below)		ilicable) tor er (give t	e) X 109 re title Oth		% Own	er		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 411 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE SUITE 125						03/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2015									below) below)						
(Street) GREENV (City)	EENWICH CT 06830								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person													
			Tabl	e I ·	Non-Deriv	ative	e Seci	uritie	s Ac	qui	ired,	Dis	posed c	of, or	Benefic	iall	y Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Co	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		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Natu Indirect Benefic Owners (Instr. 4	t cial ship			
								Co	ode	v	/ Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	- 1	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111341. 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01															75,4	76	I)				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01			03/02/201	5				S		125	5,795(1)	D	\$71.277	8	2,628,407		I		See footno	otes ⁽³⁾⁽²⁾		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01			03/03/201	5				S		450	0,000(1)	D \$71.5155		55	2,178,407		I		See footno	otes ⁽³⁾⁽²⁾		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01			03/04/201	5				S	525,960 ⁽¹⁾		D	\$71.792	2	1,652,447		I See foot			otes ⁽³⁾⁽²⁾			
			Та	ble	II - Derivat (e.g., p								osed of, onvertib				Owned					
Derivative Conversion Date Exe Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if a					. 5. Numb ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivati		ative rities ired osed	6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da			xercisable and n Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securiti Benefic Owned Followin Reporte Transac (Instr. 4)	ve es ially ng d tion(s)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.		. Nature Indirect eneficial wnership istr. 4)		
						Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							

1. Name and Address	s of Reporting Person*						
WEXFORD CAPITAL LP							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)					
411 WEST PUTN	NAM AVENUE						
SUITE 125							
(Street)							
GREENWICH	CT	06830					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)					
1. Name and Address	s of Reporting Person*						
Wexford GP L							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)					
C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP							
SUITE 125							
-							
(Street)							
GREENWICH	CT	06830					
	CI	00030					

(City)	(State)	(Zip)							
1. Name and Address DAVIDSON C									
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)							
C/O WEXFORD	C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP								
411 WEST PUTN	AM AVE.								
(Street) GREENWICH	СТ	06830							
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1. Name and Address JACOBS JOSE									
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)							
C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP									
411 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE, SUITE 125									
(Street)									
GREENWICH	CT	06830							
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The securities disposed of were held by DB Energy Holdings LLC ("DB Energy"), Wexford Catalyst Fund, L.P. ("WCF"), Wexford Spectrum Fund, L.P. ("WSF"), Spectrum Intermediate Fund Limited ("SIF") and Catalyst Intermediate Fund Limited ("CIF" and, together with DB Energy, WCF, WSF and SIF, the "Funds").
- 2. This form is jointly filed by Wexford, Charles E. Davidson ("Davidson"), Joseph M. Jacobs ("Jacobs"), and Wexford GP LLC ("Wexford GP"). The common stock shown as beneficially owned by Davidson, Jacobs, Wexford GP and Wexford reflect common stock owned of record by the Funds. Wexford serves as manager, investment advisor or sub advisor of each of the Funds, and as such may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the securities beneficially owned by the Funds. Wexford GP, as the general partner of Wexford, may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the securities beneficially owned by the Funds. (continued under Footnote (3) below).
- 3. (continued from Footnote (2) above) Davidson and Jacobs, as the controlling persons of Wexford GP, may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of any securities beneficially owned by the Funds for which Wexford serves as manager, investment advisor or sub advisor. Each of the Reporting Persons and each of the Funds disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of his or its actual pecuniary interest therein.

Remarks:

Wexford Capital LP, By:
Wexford GP LLC, its general
partner By: Arthur Amron,
Vice President and Assistant
Secretary
Wexford GP LLC, By: Arthur
Amron, Vice President and
Assistant Secretary
Charles E. Davidson

O3/04/2015

 Charles E. Davidson
 03/04/2015

 Joseph M. Jacobs
 03/04/2015

 ** Signature of Reporting Person
 Date

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

- * 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).

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