CARRIZO OIL & GAS INC

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WEBSTER STEVEN A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CARRIZO OIL & GAS INC

[CRZO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

(Zin)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/17/2016

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

500 DALLAS STREET, SUITE

(Street)

(State)

2300

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City)

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/17/2016		M	6,400	A	\$ 0	2,552,180	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2016		M	9,166	A (1)	\$ 20.22	2,561,346	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2016		D	9,166	D (1)	\$ 37.85	2,552,180	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Numb orDerivati Securitie Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	ve es d (A) or d of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Shar
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	05/17/2016		M		6,400	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	6,4
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	05/17/2016		A	6,400		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,4
Stock Appreciation Rights (5)	\$ 20.22	05/17/2016		M		9,166	<u>(6)</u>	06/03/2016	Common Stock	9,1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WEBSTER STEVEN A 500 DALLAS STREET SUITE 2300 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X					

Signatures

/s/ David L. Pitts,
attorney-in-fact 05/19/2016

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.

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- (3) These restricted stock units vested on May 17, 2016.
- (4) These restricted stock units vest on the earlier to occur of (i) the date of the Company's Annual Meeting of Shareholders in 2017 and (ii) June 30, 2017.
- (5) These stock appreciation rights are settled solely in cash.
- (6) These stock appreciation rights vested in three equal installments on May 28, 2010, May 28, 2011 and May 28, 2012.

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