

NELSON LYLE R  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NELSON LYLE R

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1600 STOUT STREET, #2000  
(Street)

DENVER, CO 80202

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PetroHunter Energy Corp [PHUN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/25/2008

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)  
Sr. VP Operations & Production

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					40,000	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)**

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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	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.1					(1) 08/11/2011	Common Stock	750,000
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.5					(2) 05/21/2012	Common Stock	250,000
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.2					(3) 10/17/2012	Common Stock	265,000
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.22	08/25/2008		A	275,000	(4) 08/25/2013	Common Stock	275,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NELSON LYLE R 1600 STOUT STREET, #2000 DENVER, CO 80202			Sr. VP Operations & Production	

## Signatures

Lyle R. Nelson                      08/28/2008

\*\*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).

- (1) Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 20% were exercisable upon date of grant (August 11, 2006), 20% become exercisable on August 10, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.
- (2) Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 60% were exercisable upon date of grant (May 21, 2007) and 20% became exercisable on May 21, 2008 and the remaining 20% become exercisable on May 21, 2009.
- (3) Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 20% were exercisable upon date of grant (October 17, 2007), 20% become exercisable on October 17, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011.
- (4) Mr. Nelson received stock options as compensation, of which 20% were exercisable upon date of grant (August 25, 2008), 20% become exercisable on August 25, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.

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