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## **UNITED STATES**

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## **FORM 15**

# CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 OR SUSPENSION OF DUTY TO FILE REPORTS UNDER SECTIONS 13 AND 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

**Commission File Number 1-9735** 

BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY, LLC

(successor in interest to Berry Petroleum Company)

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1999 Broadway, Suite 3700

Denver, Colorado 80202

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(303) 999-4400

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices)

Class A Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share

(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

10.25% Senior Notes due 2014

6.75% Senior Notes due 2020

**6.375%** Senior Notes due 2022

(Title of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under Section 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

Rule 12g-4(a)(1) x Rule 12g-4(a)(2) " Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(i) x Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(ii) " Rule 15d-6 "

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date:

Class A Common Stock: 1

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Berry Petroleum Company, LLC has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Date: December 30, 2013 BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY, LLC

By: /s/ Candice J. Wells Name: Candice J. Wells

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary