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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Bommer Peter A.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ABRAXAS PETROLEUM CORP

[AXAS]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

05/14/2013

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

below)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

Issuer

VP - Engineering

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78258

18803 MEISNER DRIVE

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

(A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Employee Stock Option	\$ 2.39	05/14/2013		A	23,500	05/14/2014	05/14/2023	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	23,50
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.74					03/08/2013	03/08/2022	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	10,50
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.55					08/09/2012	08/09/2021	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 4.72					03/15/2012	03/15/2021	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 2.09					03/16/2011	03/16/2020	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	35,90
Employee Stock Option	\$ 1.75					10/05/2010	10/05/2019	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	31,87
Employee Stock Option	\$ 0.99					03/17/2010	03/17/2019	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	7,500
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.61					09/05/2008	09/05/2017	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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VP - Engineering

Signatures

Peter A. Bommer 05/17/2013

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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