#### ABRAXAS PETROLEUM CORP

Form 4

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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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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Bommer Peter A.

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ABRAXAS PETROLEUM CORP

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[AXAS]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/29/2016

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) VP - Engineering

18803 MEISNER DRIVE

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

Issuer

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78258

(City)	(State) (Z	Table Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	(A)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Abraxas			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Petroleum Corp Common Stock							270,462	D	
Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	01/29/2016(1)		P	8,138 (1)	A	\$ 1.14	30,706	I	401-K

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  $(e.g., \, {\rm puts}, \, {\rm calls}, \, {\rm warrants}, \, {\rm options}, \, {\rm convertible} \, {\rm securities})$ 

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)	nDerivative I		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nu Sha
Employee Stock Option	\$ 0.97	03/15/2016		A	148,000		03/15/2017(2)	03/15/2026	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	14
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.16						03/03/2016	03/03/2025	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	20
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.15						03/11/2015	03/11/2024	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	2:
Employee Stock Option	\$ 2.39						05/14/2014	05/14/2023	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	23
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.74						03/08/2013	03/08/2022	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	10
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.55						08/09/2012	08/09/2021	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	2:
Employee Stock Option	\$ 4.72						03/15/2012	03/15/2021	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	1:
Employee Stock	\$ 2.09						03/16/2011	03/16/2020	Abraxas Petroleum	35

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Option				Common Stock	
Employee Stock Option	\$ 1.75	10/05/2010	10/05/2019	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	3
Employee Stock Option	\$ 0.99	03/17/2010	03/17/2019	Abraxas Petroleum Common Stock	
Employee Stock Option	\$ 3.61	09/05/2008	09/05/2017	Abraxas Petroleum Common	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bommer Peter A.

18803 MEISNER DRIVE VP - Engineering

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78258

## **Signatures**

Peter A. Bommer 03/28/2016

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **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) Employer match to 401-K for the year ended December 31, 2014.
- (2) Options vest at 25% per year beginning one year from date of grant.

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