CALLON FRED L

Form 4 May 09, 2013

## 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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CALLON FRED L			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CALLON PETROLEUM CO [CPE]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of		e of Earliest Transaction h/Day/Year)				(Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chairman, President, CEO					
			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				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Ye:	ar) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie or(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	posed of and 5)  (A) or	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/07/2013			Code V M	Amount 106,250	(D)	Price \$ 3.67	261,677	D		
Common Stock	05/07/2013			F	34,373	D	\$ 3.67	227,304	D		
Common Stock	05/07/2013			M	18,750	A	<u>(1)</u>	246,054	D		
Common Stock	05/07/2013			D	18,750	D	\$ 3.67	227,304	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)			tive Expiration Date ies (Month/Day/Year) ed (A) or ed of (D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares
2010 Restricted Stock Units - Stock	\$ 4.95	05/07/2013		M		106,250	05/07/2013	05/07/2013	Common Stock	106,2
2010 Restricted Stock Units - cash	(1)	05/07/2013		M		18,750	05/07/2013	05/07/2013	Common Stock	18,75

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
reporting owner rune / runess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CALLON FRED L 200 NORTH CANAL STREET NATCHEZ, MS 39120	X		Chairman, President, CEO					

# **Signatures**

Clay V. Bland as Attorney-in-fact 05/09/2013

\*\*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).
- The terms of this Phantom Share award specify payment in cash rather than stock. The amount payable was based on the economic value (1) of one share of Callon Petroleum Company common stock, calculated as the average of the opening and closing price on the vesting date (or \$3.67 on May 7, 2013).

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