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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 *
Atkins Thomas H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CRIMSON EXPLORATION INC.
[CXPO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/26/2013

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP - Exploration

C/O CRIMSON EXPLORATION INC., 717 TEXAS AVENUE, SUITE 2900

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/26/2013 | | F ⁽¹⁾ | 3,610 D \$ 3.23 | 207,061 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/02/2013 | | F ⁽¹⁾ | 4,331 D \$ 3.19 | 202,730 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/08/2013 | | A ⁽²⁾ | 52,000 A \$ 0 | 254,730 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2013 | | F ⁽¹⁾ | 3,031 D \$ 3.22 | 251,699 | D | |

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Remarks:

This Form 4 has been signed by John A. Thomas, Secretary for Crimson Exploration Inc., on behalf of Mr. Atkins pursuant to

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