#### PETROHAWK ENERGY CORP

Form 4

August 29, 2008

### 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)

Common

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* WILSON FLOYD C

(First)

(Ctata)

08/28/2008

08/28/2008

1000 LOUISIANA, SUITE 5600

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

PETROHAWK ENERGY CORP

[HK]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

08/27/2008

CEO, President, Chairman

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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Person

\$ 36.57 2,807,858

\$ 36.55 2,807,458

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Ac	quired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	mr Dispos	ed of (	(D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	4 and 5	5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/28/2008		S	400	D	\$ 36.575	2,809,158	D	

1,300

400

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mmon ock	08/28/2008	S	300	D	\$ 36.53	2,807,158	

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Common 08/28/2008 S 400 D 2,806,758 D Stock

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Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	2,295	D	\$ 36.51	2,804,463	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	3,614	D	\$ 36.5	2,800,849	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	9,400	D	\$ 35.23	2,791,449	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 35.22	2,791,349	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	2,300	D	\$ 35.21	2,789,049	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	1,100	D	\$ 35.2	2,787,949	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	700	D	\$ 35.17	2,787,249	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	5,081	D	\$ 35.16	2,782,168	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	200	D	\$ 35.155	2,781,968	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	17,257	D	\$ 35.15	2,764,711	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	14,656	D	\$ 35.14	2,750,055	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	4,000	D	\$ 35.13	2,746,055	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 35.125	2,745,955	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	7,586	D	\$ 35.12	2,738,369	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 35.115	2,738,269	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	4,364	D	\$ 35.11	2,733,905	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	11,600	D	\$ 35.1	2,722,305	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 35.095	2,722,205	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	700	D	\$ 35.093	2,721,505	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	200	D	\$ 35.093	2,721,305	D
	08/28/2008	S	9,200	D	\$ 35.09	2,712,105	D

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Common Stock						
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	5,900	D	\$ 35.08 2,706,205	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	5,818	D	\$ 35.07 2,700,387	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	4,982	D	\$ 35.06 2,695,405	D
Common Stock	08/28/2008	S	2,200	D	\$ 35.05 2,693,205	D

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	i.	ate	7. Title Amoun Underl Securit (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WILSON FLOYD C						
1000 LOUISIANA	X		CEO President Chairman			
SUITE 5600	Λ		CEO, President, Chairman			
HOUSTON, TX 77002						

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## **Signatures**

Floyd C. Wilson 08/29/2008

\*\*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).

#### **Remarks:**

This report is two of three.

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