#### STANLEY CHARLES B

Form 4 July 30, 2010

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

STANLEY CHARLES B		Symbol  QEP RESOURCES, INC. [QEP]				EP]	Issuer (Cl. 1, 11, 11, 11)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)		
1050 17TH STREET, SUITE 500			(Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2010					_X_ Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
DENVER,	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non-	Derivativ	e Seci	urities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deem Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	or Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of	5) Price	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	07/30/2010			A	7,500	A	\$ 33.4373	221,405	D	
Common Stock								9,823.6572 (1)	I	Employee Investment Plan
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.										
							SEC 1474 (9-02)			

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yore s	Date Exercisable and xpiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0					(2)	(2)	Phantom Stock Units	29,927.2421	
Stock Option	\$ 27.837					<u>(3)</u>	02/13/2015	Common Stock	60,000	
Stock Option	\$ 8.115					07/31/2002	01/31/2012	Common Stock	172,000	
Stock Option	\$ 7.777					08/11/2002	02/11/2012	Common Stock	112,000	
Stock Option	\$ 9.186					08/11/2003	02/11/2013	Common Stock	150,000	
Stock Option	\$ 26.139					<u>(4)</u>	10/24/2012	Common Stock	200,000	
Stock Option	\$ 27.549					<u>(5)</u>	03/05/2017	Common Stock	62,000	
Stock Option	\$ 23.977					<u>(6)</u>	03/05/2016	Common Stock	108,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner runter runters	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STANLEY CHARLES B 1050 17TH STREET, SUITE 500 DENVER, CO 80265	X		President and CEO				
Signatures							
Abigail L. Jones, Attorney-in-Fact	07/30	0/2010					
**Signature of Reporting Person	D	ate					

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### **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) As of July 29, 2010, I have 9,823.6572 equivalent shares of stock in QEP's Employee Investment Plan. The number of equivalent shares will fluctuate as Questar's stock price changes; this fluctuation does not reflect any transactions that should be reported.
- Vested shares of phantom stock units will be payable in cash on the date of, or at a designated anniversary date following, the first to occur of the reporting person's (i) separation from service from QEP (subject to 6-month delay if necessary to comply with IRC 409A), (ii) death or (iii) disability, pursuant to the QEP Resources, Inc. Deferred Compensation Wrap Plan.
- (3) The option vests in three annual installments which began on February 13, 2009.
- (4) The option vested on February 1, 2010.
- (5) The option vests in three annual installments beginning on March 5, 2011, subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of certain events as set forth in the award agreement.
- (6) The option vests in three annual installments which began on March 5, 2010.

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