

NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO /DE/

Form 4

August 18, 2015

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Fairchild George W Jr

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO
/DE/ [NFX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

4 WATERWAY SQUARE PLACE,
STE 100

08/15/2015

CAO and Asst Secretary

(Street)

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

THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

(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. Code	4. Securities Acquired 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
common stock				(A) or (D)			Non-Qual Supp Deferred Comp
common stock	08/15/2015		M	5,000 A \$ 0	16,007	D	
common stock	08/15/2015		M	1,350 A \$ 0	17,357	D	
common stock	08/15/2015		M	2,025 A \$ 0	19,382	D	

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common stock ⁽²⁾ 08/15/2015 F 2,292 D \$ 35.955 17,090 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration 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
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	08/15/2015		M	2,025	08/15/2013 02/15/2016	common stock 2,025
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	08/15/2015		M	5,000	08/15/2014 08/15/2016	common stock 5,000
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	08/15/2015		M	1,350	08/15/2015 02/15/2018	common stock 1,350
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	08/15/2015		M	1,350	08/15/2015 02/15/2018	common stock 1,350

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fairchild George W Jr
4 WATERWAY SQUARE PLACE, STE 100
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

CAO and Asst Secretary

Signatures

/s/ Melissa L. Mong, attorney-in-fact for George W. Fairchild, Jr.

08/18/2015

 Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Each share of phantom stock was the economic equivalent of one share of Newfield common stock. The reporting person settled these shares of phantom stock for cash.
- (2) Includes 262 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person on June 30, 2015 pursuant to the Newfield Exploration Company Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

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