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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add Wexler Seth D	•	ing Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PATTERSON UTI ENERGY INC [PTEN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 10713 W. SAN N., SUITE 800		(Middle) ON PKWY	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2019	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP/General Counsel/Secretary			
HOUSTON, T	(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			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative :	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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, \$.01 par value per share	04/23/2019		Code V A	37,100 (1)	(D)	Price	274,348	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	04/24/2019		F	6,309 (2)	D	\$ 15.83	268,039	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title a	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	of	Derivative	Deriv
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								of			
				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wexler Seth David 10713 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY N. SUITE 800 HOUSTON, TX 77064

SVP/General Counsel/Secretary

Signatures

By Barry Huntsman pursuant to a Limited Power of Attorney filed with the SEC on 6/11/2013. /s/Barry Huntsman

04/25/2019

**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).
- Restricted stock units that convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis. One-third of the Restricted stock units vests on each of April 23, 2020, April 23, 2021 and April 23, 2022.
- (2) Shares disposed to pay applicable withholding taxes on Restricted stock units converted into common stock on April 24, 2019.

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