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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security
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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
<b>-</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HILL JOHN A 20 N. BROADWAY OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73012	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		

# **Signatures**

John A. Hill 09/13/2011

\*\*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).
- (1) Dividends reinvested for fiscal year end 7/31/2011.
- (2) Price as of 7/31/2011.

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