

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC  
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 Address of Reporting Person \*  
Bott Winston F.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC [CLR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
20 N. BROADWAY, P.O. BOX 268836  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
09/12/2014

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
President & COO

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73126

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) 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	09/12/2014		F	V 23,500 D	\$ 72.88 211,606 <sup>(1)</sup> <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	09/13/2014		D	<u>(3)</u> 130,236 D	\$ 0 81,370 <sup>(1)</sup>	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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bott Winston F. 20 N. BROADWAY P.O. BOX 268836 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73126			President & COO	

## Signatures

/s/ Eric S. Eissenstat,  
Attorney-in-Fact  
Date: 09/16/2014

\_\_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) All shares reported herein have been adjusted to reflect the 2 for 1 split paid on September 10, 2014.
- (2) Includes 50,000 shares of restricted common stock scheduled to vest on November 15, 2015; 19,236 shares of restricted common stock scheduled to vest on February 15, 2016; and 61,000 shares of restricted common stock scheduled to vest on February 15, 2017.
- (3) Represents unvested shares of restricted common stock described in footnote 1 above forfeited in connection with Mr. Bott's resignation and subsequent termination of employment.

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