PANHANDLE OIL & GAS INC

Form 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

PANHANDLE OIL & GAS INC

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Blanchard Paul JR

(Last) (First)

5400 N. GRAND BLVD., SUITE

300

(Street)

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2015

Symbol

[PHX]

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

below) Sr. VP/Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73112

(State)

12/09/2015

(City)

Panhandle

Class A

Common

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned or Indirect Following Reported (I) (A)

> Price Code V Amount (D)

19,716 $A^{(1)}$

(1)

\$ A 0.0167 (1) (1)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)

 $209,590^{(2)}$ 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)

7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date			or		
						Exercisable		Title Number of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Blanchard Paul JR 5400 N. GRAND BLVD., SUITE 300 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73112

Sr. VP/Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ Paul
Blanchard

**Signature of 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) Amount represents the number of shares of restricted stock granted under the Panhandle Oil and Gas 2010 Restricted Stock Plan. The shares will vest in one installment on the 3rd anniversary date, subject to certain stock price growth restrictions.
- (2) Total number of shares includes restricted shares with vesting based on performance criteria.

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