PANHANDLE ROYALTY CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ROBOTTI	Symbol PANHANDLE ROYALTY CO [PHX]					Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		of Earliest T Day/Year) 2006	Fransaction	1	_	_X_ Director Officer (give t pelow)		Owner er (specify	
	(Street)		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			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securionor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (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)	
Class A Common Stock, \$0.0166 Par Value	08/17/2006			P	8,700	A	\$ 17.7264	498,132 (1) (2) (3) (4)	I	See Footnote (8)	
Class A Common Stock, \$0.0166 Par Value	08/18/2006			P	1,200	A	\$ 17.7	499,332 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2) (4) (5)</u>	I	See Footnote (8)	
Class A Common	08/21/2006			P	2,800	A	\$ 17.9729	502,632 (2) (4) (6) (7)	I	See Footnote	

(8) Stock. \$0.0166

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)

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		orNumber	Expiration Date		Amount of	Derivative	Deriv		
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROBOTTI ROBERT

Par Value

X

Signatures

/s/ Robert E. 08/21/2006 Robotti

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) This amount includes 57,844 shares of the Class A Common Stock, \$0.0166 par value (the "Common Stock"), directly owned by the discretionary accounts of Robotti & Company, LLC ("Robotti & Company"), a broker-dealer registered under Section 15 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act"), as amended, and by the advisory clients of Robotti & Company Advisors, LLC ("Robotti & Company Advisors"), an investment advisor registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, and beneficially owned by its

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discretionary brokerage customers and advisory clients.

- (2) This amount includes 5,340 shares of the Common Stock directly owned by Robotti & Company, Incorporated ("ROBT"), the parent holding company of Robotti & Company and Robotti & Company Advisors.
- (3) This amount includes 416,948 shares of the Common Stock directly owned by The Ravenswood Investment Company, L.P. ("RIC") and beneficially owned by its partners.
- (4) This amount includes 18,000 shares of the Common Stock, directly owned by Suzanne Robotti ("Su Robotti"), wife of Robert Robotti ("Robotti"), and is held in Su Robotti's IRA account with Robotti & Company.
- (5) This amount includes 418,148 shares of the Common Stock directly owned by RIC and beneficially owned by its partners.
 - This amount includes 58,344 shares of the Common Stock, directly owned by the discretionary accounts of Robotti & Company, a broker-dealer registered under Section 15 of the Exchange Act, as amended, and by the advisory clients of Robotti & Company Advisors,
- (6) an investment advisor registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, and beneficially owned by its discretionary brokerage customers and advisory clients. On August 21, 2006, Robotti & Company gained a discretionary account, which held 500 shares of the Common Stock within its account prior to becoming a discretionary brokerage customer. The amount is being reported to account for the change in the total number of shares that is under the discretion of Mr. Robotti and Robotti & Company.
- (7) This amount includes 420,948 shares of the Common Stock directly owned by RIC and beneficially owned by its partners.
 - Mr. Robotti may be deemed to beneficially own (solely for the purpose of Rule 16a-1(a)(2) under the Exchange Act) the securities set forth in the footnotes above through his proportionate ownership of Robotti & Company, Robotti & Company Advisors and ROBT, by
- (8) virtue of the investment discretion Robotti & Company and Robotti & Company Advisors has over the accounts of its brokerage customers and advisory clients, as managing member of Ravenswood Management Company, L.L.C., which serves as the general partner of RIC, and through his marriage to Su Robotti. Mr. Robotti disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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