Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc.

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## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Common

Stock

03/28/2015

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jaques Wade E			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			Bonanza	Creek E	nergy, In	ic. [BCE	EI]	(Chec	k all applicable	)	
(Last)	(First) (1	Middle)	3. Date of	Earliest Tr	ansaction						
			(Month/D	ay/Year)				Director		Owner	
C/O BONANZA CREEK ENERGY,			03/28/2015					Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
INC., 410 1	7TH STREET, S	UITE						· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Accounting Of	ficer	
1400								vi, emei	recounting of	neer	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line)			
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DENVER,	CO 80202							Form filed by M. Person	Iore than One Rep	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securities	s Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	e 2A. Deer	ned	3.	4. Securit	ies Acqui	ired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution	n Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Dis	sposed of	(D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/I	Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
								Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(A)		Reported			
						or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(D) P	rice	(msu. 5 and 4)			

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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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	<b>.</b>	ate	7. Title and Lunderlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Shares	(3)					(3)	12/31/2015	Common Stock	2,452 (3)
Performance Shares	<u>(3)</u>					(3)	12/31/2016	Common Stock	4,980 (3)

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Jaques Wade E C/O BONANZA CREEK ENERGY, INC. 410 17TH STREET, SUITE 1400 DENVER, CO 80202			VP, Chief Accounting Officer				

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher I. Humber as Attorney-in-Fact

03/31/2015

\*\*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) Represents shares withheld to satisfy tax obligations upon vesting of restricted stock.
- (2) Includes (i) 18,540 shares of common stock and (ii) 5,772 shares of restricted common stock subject to vesting.
- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive 0-200% of that number of shares of common stock. The amount listed represents what the Reporting Person would receive at the target or 100% level. The performance shares vest upon continued employment and achievement of certain predetermined performance goals.

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