

SANDRIDGE ENERGY INC
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS LP | | | (Month/Day/Year) | SANDRIDGE ENERGY INC [SD] | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 11/05/2007 | | |
| 280 PARK AVENUE,Â 11TH FLOOR | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street) | | | (Check all applicable) | | |
| NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10017 | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) See Remarks | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock | 1,111,111 | I | (See Footnotes) <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS LP 280 PARK AVENUE 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X | | | See Remarks |
| Goodman Bennett J 280 PARK AVENUE 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X | | | See Remarks |
| Ostrover Douglas I 280 PARK AVENUE 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X | | | See Remarks |
| Smith J Albert III 280 PARK AVENUE 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X | | | See Remarks |
| GSO LLC 280 PARK AVENUE 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X | | | See Remarks |

Signatures

/s/ George Fan, Chief Legal Officer / Chief Compliance Officer of GSO Capital Partners LP

11/05/2007

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) GSO Capital is deemed to hold shares of common stock of Sandridge (the "Securities") indirectly as the beneficial owner. These Securities are held by GSO Credit Opportunities Fund (Helios), L.P. ("GSO Helios"), GSO Special Situations Overseas Master Fund Ltd. ("GSO Overseas") and GSO Special Situations Fund LP ("GSO SS" and, together with GSO Helios, and GSO Overseas, the "GSO Funds"). GSO Capital serves as investment manager to the GSO Funds. GSO Capital disclaims beneficial ownership of the Securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
 - (2) GSO LLC (the "General Partner") is the general partner of GSO Capital. Bennett J. Goodman ("Mr. Goodman"), J. Albert Smith III ("Mr. Smith") and Douglas I. Ostrover ("Mr. Ostrover" and together with Mr. Goodman and Mr. Smith, the "GSO Managing Members") are the managing members of the General Partner. The General Partner and the GSO Managing Members (collectively, the "GSO Persons") disclaim beneficial ownership of the Securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the GSO Persons are the beneficial owners of the Securities for the purpose of Section 16 or for any other purpose, except to the extent of the GSO Persons'

pecuniary interest therein.

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Remarks:

GSO^ Capital^ Partners^ LP^ ("GSO^ Capital")^ may^ be^ deemed^ a^ director^ by^ virtue^ of^ the^ fact^ that^ a
^ Partners^ (Texas)^ LP,^ an^ affiliate^ of^ GSO^ Capital^ Partners^ LP^ (Dwight^ Scott)^ currently^ serves^ on^ t
^ Sandridge^ Energy,^ Inc.^ ("Sandridge").

Shares^ of^ Common^ Stock^ directly^ held^ by^ Dwight^ Scott^ are^ reported^ on^ Mr.^ Scott's^ Form^ 3,^ dated

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