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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person $\underline{\ }^*$ Bott Winston F.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) t Issuer		
			CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC [CLR]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (speci		
20 N. BROADWAY, P.O. BOX 268836			03/22/2013	below) below) President & COO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73126				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(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) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially Form Owned Direct	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	03/22/2013		Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Price 1,500 A \$ 85.5949	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 97,208 (1)	(I) (Instr. 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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 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

03/26/2013

**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).

Includes 25,000 shares of restricted common stock which vest on November 15, 2013; 25,000 shares of restricted common stock which (1) vest on November 15, 2014; 25,000 shares of restricted common stock which vest on November 15, 2015; and 9,618 shares of restricted common stock which vest on February 15, 2016.

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