Diamondback Energy, Inc. Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.

if no longer

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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

Diamondback Energy, Inc. [FANG]

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

WEXFORD CAPITAL LP

See Instruction

		Dia	Diamondback Energy, Inc. [FANG]			NG]	(Check all applicable)			
	(First) Γ PUTNAM , SUITE 125	(Mo	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2014			X	X DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
GREENW	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			AppX_	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Nor	1-Derivative S	ecuriti		l, Disposed of, or	· Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) Common Stock, par value \$0.01	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	4. Securities on Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount	(D)	red (A) or Price	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)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	12/17/2014		S	1,340,000 (1)	D	(2)	4,492,447	I	See footnotes (3) (4)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	12/18/2014		S	200,000	D	\$ 60.5739	4,292,447	I	See footnotes (3) (4)	

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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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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					Disposed						7
					of (D)						(
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	Title	or Number		
						Exercisable Date	ole Date	Title	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting o wier runne, runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WEXFORD CAPITAL LP 411 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE SUITE 125 GREENWICH, CT 06830	X	X				
DAVIDSON CHARLES E C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP 411 WEST PUTNAM AVE. GREENWICH, CT 06830		X				
JACOBS JOSEPH C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP 411 WEST PUTNAM AVENUE, SUITE 125 GREENWICH, CT 06830		X				
Wexford GP LLC C/O WEXFORD CAPITAL LP SUITE 125 GREENWICH, CT 06830		X				

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Signatures

Wexford Capital LP, By: Wexford GP LLC, its general partner By: Arthur Amron, Vice President and Assistant Secretary						
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**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
Wexford GP LLC, By: Arthur Amron, Vice President and Assistant Secretary						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
Charles E. Davidson	12/19/2014					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
Joseph M. Jacobs	12/19/2014					
**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).
- The securities disposed of were held by DB Energy Holdings LLC ("DB Energy"), Wexford Catalyst Fund, L.P. ("WCF"), Wexford (1) Spectrum Fund, L.P. ("WSF"), Spectrum Intermediate Fund Limited ("SIF") and Catalyst Intermediate Fund Limited ("CIF" and, together with DB Energy, WCF, WSF and SIF, the "Funds").
- (2) 740,000 shares were sold at \$57.9788 and 600,000 shares were sold at \$57.70.
 - This form is jointly filed by Wexford, Charles E. Davidson ("Davidson"), Joseph M. Jacobs ("Jacobs"), and Wexford GP LLC ("Wexford GP"). The common stock shown as beneficially owned by Davidson, Jacobs, Wexford GP and Wexford reflect common stock owned of
- (3) record by the Funds. Wexford serves as manager, investment advisor or sub advisor of each of the Funds, and as such may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the securities beneficially owned by the Funds. Wexford GP, as the general partner of Wexford, may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the securities beneficially owned by the Funds. (continued under Footnote (4) below).
- (continued from Footnote (3) above) Davidson and Jacobs, as the controlling persons of Wexford GP, may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of any securities beneficially owned by the Funds for which Wexford serves as manager, investment advisor or sub advisor. Each of the Reporting Persons and each of the Funds disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of his or its actual pecuniary interest therein.

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