

HELMERICH & PAYNE, INC.

Reported by **TARDIO JUAN PABLO**

FORM 3/A

(Amended Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

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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 (MM/DD/YYYY)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol					
Tardio Juan Pablo		4/30/2010		HELMERICH & PAYNE INC [HP]					
(Last) (First) (Middle)	4. Rela	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
1437 SOUTH BOULDER		Director 10% Owner							
AVENUE, SUITE 1400		Officer (give tit	le below)	Other (specify below)					
(Street)		nendment, Da		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
TULSA, OK 74119 (City) (State) (Zip)		Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY) 5/5/2010		_ X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	Tab	le I - Non-De	erivative Secu	rities Benefic	ially Owned				
(Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		•	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock			11334	ļ	D				
Common Stock			1129	29 I 401(k) account			t		
Table II - Deriva	ive Securities	Beneficially (Owned (e.g. ,	puts, calls, w	varrants, options	s, convertible secu	ırities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 4) 2. Derivate Security (MM/			3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)			
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/5/2006	12/5/2015	Common Stock	1500	\$30.2375	D			
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/5/2007	12/5/2016	Common Stock	3000	\$26.895	D			
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/4/2008	12/4/2017	Common Stock	6000	\$35.105	D			
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/2/2009	12/2/2018	Common Stock	7000	\$21.065	D			
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/1/2010	12/1/2019	Common Stock	9000	\$38.015	D			

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan on 12/5/05. Options to purchase 1,500 shares remain under said grant, all of which are vested and exercisable. The options vested ratably over 4 years -- the noted date of 12/5/06 is the first date options vested.
- (2) The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan on 12/5/06. Options to purchase 3,000 shares remain under said grant, 1,500 of which are vested and became exercisable on 12/5/09 (the noted date) and 1,500 vest and become exercisable on 12/5/10.
- (3) The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan on 12/4/07. The options vest ratably over a four year period

- commencing on the anniversary date of the grant.
- (4) The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan on 12/2/08. The options vest ratably over a four year period commencing on the anniversary date of the grant.
- (5) The options were granted under the Helmerich & Payne, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan on 12/1/09. The options vest ratably over a four year period commencing on the anniversary date of the grant.

Remarks:

This amended Form 3 is filed to report the options to purchase 1,500 shares of stock granted on 12/5/05 that were inadvertenly omitted from the original Form 3.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Tardio Juan Pablo 1437 SOUTH BOULDER AVENUE SUITE 1400			VP & CFO			
TULSA, OK 74119						

Signatures

Jonathan M. Cinocca, by Power of Attorney for Juan Pablo Tardio

7/1/2010 Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

- * 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).

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