STABIO VICTOR P

Form 4

December 18, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STABIO VICTOR P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

HALLADOR ENERGY CO

[HNRG]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below) below)

12/16/2012

CEO

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

1660 LINCOLN STREET, SUITE 2700

(First)

(Middle)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Person

DENVER, CO 80264

(City)	(State) (Zi	p) Table l	I - Non-Dei	rivative Se	curitie	es Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	12/17/2012		P	2,000 (1)	A	\$ 7.98	424,439 (2)	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/17/2012		P	8,000 (1)	A	\$ 7.99	422,439 (2)	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/17/2012		P	3,000 (1)	A	\$ 8.16	414,439 (2)	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/17/2012		P	2,000 (1)	A	\$ 8.24	411,439 (2)	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/16/2012		M	82,500 (3)	A	\$ 8.07	435,080 <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>	D	

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COMMON STOCK 12/16/2012 F 25,641 D \$ 409,439 (2) D

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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amour		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne
	Security				Acquired						Follo
					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)	5)					
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration		Number		
						Exercisable	Exercisable Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STABIO VICTOR P 1660 LINCOLN STREET SUITE 2700 DENVER, CO 80264	X		CEO				

Signatures

Victor P. Stabio 12/18/2012

**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) Shares owned through reporting person's IRA.
- (2) Total shares owned includes 7,000 shares through spouses IRA.
- (3) The reporting person's 82,500 restricted stock units vested December 16, 2012. The reporting person will relinquish 25,641 shares to pay for the taxes due on the vested shares. The reporting person has elected to defer issuance of the net shares (56,859) until 2013.

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