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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading White Kevin R Issuer Symbol SANDRIDGE ENERGY INC [SD] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title . _ Other (specify 123 ROBERT S. KERR AVENUE 01/09/2009 below) SVP - Business Development (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **OKLAHOMA** Person

CITY, OK 73102-6406

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	es	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of	f (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 a	and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
				,	(. \	Reported			
					(A)	Transaction(s)			
			C 1 W		or	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
_			Code V		(D) Price				
Common Stock	01/09/2009		A	$\frac{7,500}{\frac{(1)}{}}$	A \$0	16,000	D		
Common Stock						406	I	By 401(k) Plan	

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 Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
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					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	m: .1	or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title Ni	Number		
				~					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Officer 10% Owner Other Director

White Kevin R 123 ROBERT S. KERR AVENUE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102-6406

SVP - Business Development

Signatures

By: Gaye A. Wilkerson, Power of Attorney

01/13/2009

**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).
- Shares of Restricted Stock granted January 9, 2009, which shall vest twenty-five percent on the 9th day of January of each of the years 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013.

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