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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * bogachev nikolay v			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			MAGELLAN PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ [MPET]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 9-3 SECHNEOV	(First) VSKY PER	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/03/2010	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MOSCOW, 1Z RUS-119034				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Ac	equired, Disposed	l of, or Benefic	cially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	d of	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	09/03/2010		S	7,457 (1)	D	\$ 1.83	14,421,695 (2)	I	Held by ECP Fund, SICAV-FIS
Common Stock							15,000 (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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
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	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)		Own
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						Exercisable	Date		Number		
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

bogachev nikolay v 9-3 SECHNEOVSKY PEREULOK X MOSCOW, 1Z RUS-119034

Signatures

/s/ Nikolay V. 09/08/2010 Bogachev

**Signature of Reporting 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).
- On September 3, 2010, ECP Fund, SICAV-FIS (the "ECP Fund") (formerly known as YEP I, SICAV-FIS) sold an aggregate of 12,326 shares of the issuer's common stock pursuant to Rule 144. On the date of sale, the reporting person indirectly held a 60.5% equity interest in the ECP Fund. Accordingly, the reporting person's pecuniary interest in the issuer's shares held by the ECP Fund decreased proportionately by 7,457 shares.
- Following this sale by the ECP Fund, the reporting person beneficially owns 15,000 shares of the issuer's common stock directly and an (2) aggregate of 14,421,695 shares of the issuer's common stock indirectly, of which 13,612,463 shares are held by Young Energy Prize S.A. and 809,232 shares are held by the ECP Fund.

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