Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc. [BCEI] Fenoglio Scott A (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2016 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 410 - 17TH STREET, SUITE (Check all applicable) 1400 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting SVP, Finance & Planning Person DENVER, COÂ 80202 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â 10,608 (1) Common Stock D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Security	Direct (D)	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
LTIP Units (2)	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	80,217	\$ (4)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
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Fenoglio Scott A 410 - 17TH STREET, SUITE 1400 DENVER, CO 80202	Â	Â	SVP, Finance & Planning	Â	

Signatures

By: Cyrus D. Marter IV, attorney-in-fact For: Scott A. Fenoglio 10/05/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Includes (i) 4,147 shares of common stock and (ii) 6,461 shares of restricted common stock subject to vesting.
- (2) Each LTIP unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of BCEI common stock, subject to adjustment as described in Footnote 4.
- (3) This award will vest in three equal installments on March 15, 2017, March 15, 2018, and March 15, 2019.
- (4) The distribution at each vesting date will be adjusted downward if the BCEI stock price exceeds \$26.00, so that the distribution represents a value equivalent to \$26.00 per share.

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