Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc.

Form 4 March 31, 2015

## FORM 4

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

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

**DENVER, CO 80202** 

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

1(b).

(Last)

1400

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Jaques Wade E

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Bonanza Creek Energy, Inc. [BCEI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

C/O BONANZA CREEK ENERGY. 03/28/2015 INC., 410 17TH STREET, SUITE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D)

F

Common 03/28/2015 Stock

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)

785 (1) D

Securities (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Owned

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

 $24,312 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$ 23.93

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)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

VP, Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(D) or

D

Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

below)

Person

Director

Applicable Line)

5. Amount of

Officer (give title

response... 0.5

> 10% Owner Other (specify

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

Form: Direct Indirect

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	<b>.</b>	ate	7. Title and Lunderlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Shares	(3)					(3)	12/31/2015	Common Stock	2,452 (3)
Performance Shares	<u>(3)</u>					(3)	12/31/2016	Common Stock	4,980 (3)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Jaques Wade E C/O BONANZA CREEK ENERGY, INC. 410 17TH STREET, SUITE 1400 DENVER, CO 80202			VP, Chief Accounting Officer			

### **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher I. Humber as Attorney-in-Fact

03/31/2015

\*\*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) Represents shares withheld to satisfy tax obligations upon vesting of restricted stock.
- (2) Includes (i) 18,540 shares of common stock and (ii) 5,772 shares of restricted common stock subject to vesting.
- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive 0-200% of that number of shares of common stock. The amount listed represents what the Reporting Person would receive at the target or 100% level. The performance shares vest upon continued employment and achievement of certain predetermined performance goals.

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