

LIMBACHER RANDY L  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 LIMBACHER RANDY L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BURLINGTON RESOURCES INC  
 [BR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 BURLINGTON RESOURCES INC., 717 TEXAS AVENUE, SUITE 2100

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/30/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 E.V.P. and C.O.O.

(Street)  
 HOUSTON, TX 77002

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	01/30/2006		M	5,600	A \$ 17.725	90,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006		S	5,600	D \$ 91.95	84,674	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006		M	4,600	A \$ 21.01	89,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006		S	4,600	D \$ 91.95	84,674	D
	01/30/2006		M	29,400	A	114,074	D

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Common Stock					\$	17.725	
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	29,400	D	\$ 91.9	84,674	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	M	65,400	A	\$ 21.01	150,074	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	7,800	D	\$ 91.95	142,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	3,000	D	\$ 91.94	139,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	1,200	D	\$ 91.93	138,074	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	8,800	D	\$ 91.92	129,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	9,200	D	\$ 91.91	120,074	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	200	D	\$ 91.9	119,874	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	7,400	D	\$ 91.89	112,474	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	3,100	D	\$ 91.88	109,374	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	7,800	D	\$ 91.87	101,574	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	7,300	D	\$ 91.86	94,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	2,000	D	\$ 91.85	92,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 91.84	91,274	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	2,600	D	\$ 91.83	88,674	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	1,800	D	\$ 91.81	86,874	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	100	D	\$ 91.79	86,774	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	1,900	D	\$ 91.78	84,874	D
Common Stock	01/30/2006	S	100	D	\$ 91.77	84,774	D
	01/30/2006	S	100	D	\$ 91.76	84,674	D

Common  
Stock

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.725	01/30/2006		M		5,600	01/09/2003	01/08/2012	Common Stock	5,600
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.725	01/30/2006		M		29,400	01/09/2003	01/09/2012	Common Stock	29,400
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.01	01/30/2006		M		4,600	01/22/2004	01/21/2013	Common Stock	4,600
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.01	01/30/2006		M		65,400	01/22/2004	01/22/2013	Common Stock	65,400
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/30/2006		I		35,766	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	35,766

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

Reporting Owners

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LIMBACHER RANDY L  
BURLINGTON RESOURCES INC.  
717 TEXAS AVENUE, SUITE 2100  
HOUSTON, TX 77002

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E.V.P.  
and  
C.O.O.

## Signatures

Randy L.  
Limbacher                      02/01/2006

\_\_Signature of                      Date  
Reporting Person

## 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) 1 for 1
- (2) Immediately.
- (3) These phantom stock units were acquired under the Company's deferred compensation plan and are to be settled in cash upon retirement or other termination from the Company.

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