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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(City)

(State)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Copeland David W Issuer Symbol CONCHO RESOURCES INC (Check all applicable) [CXO] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 550 WEST TEXAS AVENUE, 05/11/2009 VP Gen. Counsel & Secretary SUITE 100 (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 MIDLAND, TX 79701 Person

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	05/11/2009		M	31,759	A	\$ 8	406,494	D	
Common Stock	05/11/2009		S	31,759	D	30.04 (1) (2)	374,735	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 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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)		
				Code V	(A) (I	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 8	05/11/2009		M	3,5	663	01/01/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	3,563
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 8	05/11/2009		M	1,9	39	02/27/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	1,939
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 8	05/11/2009		M	7,7	'37	01/01/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	7,737
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 8	05/11/2009		M	2,9	008	02/27/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	2,908
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 8	05/11/2009		M	11,3	347	01/01/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	11,347
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 8	05/11/2009		M	4,2	265	02/27/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	4,265

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Copeland David W 550 WEST TEXAS AVENUE, SUITE 100 MIDLAND, TX 79701

VP Gen. Counsel & Secretary

Signatures

/s/ Jeannie A. Kohn, as attorney-in-fact

05/13/2009

**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).
- (1) Represents weighted average price of open market same day purchase. Sale of shares took place at actual prices ranging from \$30.00 to \$30.29 per share.
- (2) Full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each seperate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, Concho Resources Inc. or a Concho Resource Inc. shareholder.

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