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(Print or Type	Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> EICHLER RODNEY J			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol APACHE CORP [APA]					ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)				Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
ONE POST OAK CENTRAL, 2000 POST OAK BOULEVARD, SUITE 100			(Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2007						Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Exec. Vice President			
				(Month/Day/Year) A					<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ul>			
	N, TX 77056-4400	)							Form filed by M Person	ore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - No	n-E	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8	3)	nor Dispo (Instr. 3,	(A) or	5)	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 (1)	02/27/2007			Code $J(2)$		Amount 21.272	, í	Price \$ 70.186	13 877 818	D		
Common Stock (1)									12,502.352	I	Held by Trustee of 401(k) Plan	

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities		8 C S (1
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units (3)	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>	02/27/2007		J	37.8261	(4)	(4)	Common Stock (1)	37.8261	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
reporting owner runner runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
EICHLER RODNEY J ONE POST OAK CENTRAL 2000 POST OAK BOULEVARD, SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77056-4400	)		Exec. Vice President					
Signatures								
Cheri L. Peper, 03/01/2	2007							

Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The shares of common stock of Apache are deemed to also represent certain preferred stock purchase rights ('Rights'). The Rights are not(1) currently exercisable or separately tradable and presently are evidenced by certificates for shares of the common stock. Value attributable to such Rights, if any, is reflected in the market price of the common stock.
- (2) Exempt acquisition through dividend reinvestment plan.
- (3) One share of Apache common stock for each phantom stock unit.
- (4) Exempt acquisition pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d) accrued under the deferred compensation provisions of Apache's Deferred Delivery Plan as of 02/22/2007 data provided by the plan administrator on 02/27/2007.

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