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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 EOG RESOURCES INC [EOG] A Donaldson Michael P (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1111 BAGBY, SKY LOBBY 2 (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Director 10% Owner _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person HOUSTON, TXÂ 77002 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One VP, General Counsel & Corp Sec Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 23,161 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	2. Date Exercisab	le and	3. Title and A	mount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date		Securities Underlying		Conversion	Ownership	Indirect Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security		or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Data Evaraicable	e Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:	
	Date Exercisable				Security	Direct (D)	
						or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Appreciation Rights	09/17/2009(1)	09/17/2015	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 88.81	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	09/18/2011(1)	09/18/2016	Common Stock	2,157	\$ 81.86	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	09/24/2011(1)	09/24/2017	Common Stock	3,530	\$ 92.11	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	09/21/2012(1)	09/21/2018	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 83.43	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Donaldson Michael P 1111 BAGBY, SKY LOBBY 2 HOUSTON, TX 77002	Â	Â	VP, General Counsel & Corp Sec	Â	

Signatures

Vicky Strom, attorney-in-fact for Michael P. Donaldson

05/14/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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) The SARs become exercisable in 25 percent increments beginning one year from the date of grant and on each of the next three grant date anniversaries.

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