FORM 4

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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 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- Rich Gary G				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PARKER DRILLING CO /DE/ [PKD]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5 GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 100				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2015							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman,President & CEO				
(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77046				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)			Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui					red, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Dat any (Month/Day/Y		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D)		1 of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		I C F I o	Ownership orm: Oirect (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership	
Common Stock					Coc	le V	Am	ount (D)	Price	326,703		I	(nstr. 4)		
401K Common Stock										6,121.44 (1)		I		401(k)	
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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	Transaction Derivativ Code Securities		nber of tive ties red (A) posed	ber of 6. Date Expiration (Month/I osed)		exercisable and on Date Day/Year)		le and Amount derlying rities . 3 and 4)	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	
				Code	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercise		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/01/2015		A	242,8		04/01/	2016	04/01/20	18 Com Sto	umon ock 242,875	\$ 0	485,441	D	

Reporting Owners

B (1 0 N (41)	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Rich Gary G 5 GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77046	X		Chairman,President & CEO					

Signatures

Gary G. Rich	04/02/2015
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) Shares of PKD common stock in 401(k) as of March 31, 2015.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of PKD common stock.

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