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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 –<br>Duplantier Jon-Al | ]  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>PARKER DRILLING CO /DE/ [PKD]     |                                   |   |   |               | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director |   |                                  |   |
| 5 GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 100                                    |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>04/01/2015                   |                                   |   |   |               |  | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Sr. VP, CAO & General Counsel  |                                  |   |
| (Street)<br>HOUSTON, TX 77046                                  | 2  | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                             |                                   |   |   |               |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br>_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>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<br>(Instr. 3)                              | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if   | 3. Transact<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) |   | (A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |               | f (D)  | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially<br>Owned Following Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |                                  | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |
|  |  | (Wohth/Day/Tear)   | Code                              | v | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price  | x /   | or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) |   |
| Common Stock   |  |  |                                   |   |   |               |  | 206,197   | D                                |   |
| 401K Common Stock  |  |  |                                   |   |   |               |  | 12,667.18 <u>(1)</u>  | Ι                                | 401K  |

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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 | 2.   | 3. Transaction   | 3A. Deemed         | 4.        |      | 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and |     | 7. Title and Amount |                  | 8. Price of            | 9. Number of | 10.          | 11. Nature     |            |             |
| Derivative  | Conversion   | Date             | Execution Date, if | Transac   | tion | Derivative                           | e   | Expiration Da       | ate              | of Underlying Derivati |              | Derivative   | Derivative     | Ownership  | of Indirect |
| Security    | or Exercise  | (Month/Day/Year) |                    | Code      |      | Securities (Month/Day/Year) S        |     | Securities          |                  | Security               | Securities   | Form of      | Beneficial     |            |             |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of   |                  | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8 | )    | Acquired                             | (A) |                     | (Instr. 3 and 4) |                        | (Instr. 5)   | Beneficially | Derivative     | Ownership  |             |
|             | Derivative   |                  |                    |           |      | or Dispos                            | ed  |                     |                  |                        |              | Security:    | (Instr. 4)     |            |             |
|             | Security   |                  |                    |           |      | of (D)                               |     |                     |                  |                        |              | 0            | Direct (D)     |            |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |           |      | (Instr. 3, 4                         | ŀ,  |                     |                  |                        |              | 1            | or Indirect    |            |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |           |      | and 5)                               | -   |                     | -                |                        |              |              | Transaction(s) | < / <      |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |           |      |                                      |     |                     |                  |                        | Amount       |              | (Instr. 4)     | (Instr. 4) |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |           |      |                                      |     |                     | Expiration       | Title                  | or           |              |                |            |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |           |      |                                      |     | Exercisable         | Date             |                        | Number       |              |                |            |             |
|             |  |                  |                    | Code      | V    | (A)                                  | (D) |                     |                  |                        | of Shares    |              |                |            |             |
| Restricted  |  |                  |                    |           |      |                                      |     |                     |                  | a                      |              |              |                |            |             |
| Stock       | \$ 0   | 04/01/2015       |                    | А         |      | 113,549                              |     | 04/01/2016          | 04/01/2018       | Common                 | 113,549      | \$ 0         | 312,686        | D          |             |
| Units       | * *  |                  |                    |           |      | <u>(2)</u>                           |     |                     |                  | Stock                  | ,            |              | ,              | _          |             |
| Cinto       |  |                  |                    |           |      |                                      |     |                     |                  |                        |              |              |                |            |             |

## **Reporting Owners**

|   | Relationships |           |                               |       |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                       | Other |  |  |  |  |  |
| Duplantier Jon-Al<br>5 GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 100<br>HOUSTON, TX 77046 |               |           | Sr. VP, CAO & General Counsel |       |  |  |  |  |  |

### **Signatures**

| Jon-Al Duplantier                | 04/02/2015 |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| Signature of Reporting<br>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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