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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person _* WEANT JERRY A			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CALLON PETROLEUM CO [CPE]			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	05/14/2015	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
200 NORTH CANAL STREET (Street) NATCHEZ, MS 39120				(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Vice President of Land		Owner	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Reporting Person Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				r c
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owner (Instr.	•
Common St	ock		15,017		D	Â	
Common Stock			2,581		Ι	401(k) Account	
Reminder: Rep owned directly	-	ate line for ea	ch class of securities benefic	ially S	EC 1473 (7-02	.)	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
2013 RSU - Stock (Inducement Award) (1)	07/01/2014	07/01/2016	Common Stock	66,666	\$ 0	D	Â
2014 RSU - Stock (2)	05/14/2017	05/14/2017	Common Stock	5,598	\$ 0	D	Â
2014 Phantom Units (2) (3)	05/14/2017	05/14/2017	Common Stock	988	\$ 0	D	Â
2014 Phantom Units - Performance Based (3) (4)	12/31/2016	12/31/2016	Common Stock	9,880	\$ 0	D	Â
2015 RSU - Stock (2)	05/15/2018	05/15/2018	Common Stock	12,424	\$ 0	D	Â
2015 Phantom Units (2) (3)	05/15/2018	05/15/2018	Common Stock	2,192	\$ 0	D	Â
2015 Performance Based Units - 50% Stock/50% Cash (5)	12/31/2017	12/31/2017	Common Stock	21,925	\$ 0	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WEANT JERRY A 200 NORTH CANAL STREET NATCHEZ, MS 39120	Â	Â	Vice President of Land	Â		
Signatures						

Clay V. Bland as Attorney-in-fact	05/21/2015
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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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).
- These units/shares are subject to three-year ratable vesting with one-third vesting on each anniversary date following the grant date. (1)
- (2) The award terms specify cliff vesting three years from the date of the award.
- (3) The terms of this Phantom Unit award specify payment in cash rather than in common shares.
- This Phantom Unit award is subject to a variable number of units vesting based on a performance criteria related to the total shareholder (4) return of the company compared to a group of peer companies. The number of units subject to vest under this award can range from 0% to as much as 200%.
- (5) This Performance Based Unit award is subject to a variable number of units vesting based on a performance criteria related to the total shareholder return of the company compared to a group of peer companies. The number of units subject to vest under this award can range from 0% to as much as 200%. The award terms also specify that upon vesting 50% of the vested units will be payable in common

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shares and 50% will be payable in cash.

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