FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Herlin Robert S | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EVOLUTION PETROLEUM CORP [EPM] | | | | | | | | | heck all | nship of Re applicable Director Officer (give |) | Person(s) to Is | Owner |
|---|---|--|---|--------|---|--|--|--|---------|--|---------------------|--|-------------------|---|---|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2500 CITY WEST BLVD., SUITE 1300 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2011 | | | | | | | | | X t | other below t/CEO | (specify | | | |
| (Street) HOUST(| | | 77042 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | | Tabl | e I - Nor | -Deriv | ative | Se | curitie | s Acc | quired, | Disp | osed o | f, or | Bene | ficia | lly Ov | wned | | | |
| Date | | | | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea | | Code (| Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5) | | | | | nd Se Be Ov | Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Follow | F | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | Tr | ansaction(s nstr. 3 and 4 | | | (111341. 4) |
| COMMON STOCK | | | | 08/31 | 08/31/2011 | | | | A | | 47,671 A | | A | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 1,330,5 | | (2) | D | |
| | | Та | ıble II - C | | | | | | | | sed of, onvertib | | | | / Own | ed | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deems Execution if any (Month/Da | Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | of Derive Securial Acquired (A) or Disposof (D) (Instruand 5 | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Date Exercisable a xpiration Date // Albania | | Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount of Numbe of | | ount ober | 8. Price Derivati Securit (Instr. 5 | y Securi Securi Denefi Owned Follow Report | ties cially I ing ted action(s) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Award of Restricted Stock pursuant to Company's Amended and Restated 2004 Stock Plan, subject to vesting.
- $2.\ Does\ not\ include\ beneficial\ ownership\ of\ warrant\ shares\ included\ in\ previous\ fillings$

<u>/s/ Robert Herlin</u> <u>09/20/2011</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$

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