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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BOX JERRY | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NEWPARK RESOURCES INC</u> [NR] | | tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director | rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner | |
|---|---------|-------|---|------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2700 RESEARCH FOREST DRIVE SUITE 100 | | () | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2013 | | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | |
| (Street) THE WOODLANDS | ТХ | 77381 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | idual or Joint/Group Filing (Form filed by One Repor Form filed by More than (Person | ting Person | |
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| Table 1- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Denencially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---------------|---------------|---|---|---|--|--|
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transa Code (8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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 | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150.4) | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | М | | 9,400 | A | \$6.15 | 130,572 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 2,500 | D | \$8.93 | 128,072 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 100 | D | \$8.94 | 127,972 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 3,817 | D | \$8.95 | 124,155 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 340 | D | \$8.9501 | 123,815 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 1,043 | D | \$8.96 | 122,772 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 100 | D | \$8.965 | 122,672 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 300 | D | \$8.97 | 122,372 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 900 | D | \$8.98 | 121,472 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | S | | 300 | D | \$8.99 | 121,172 | D | | | |

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of I | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|------|-------|--|--------------------|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$6.15 | 02/20/2013 | | М | | | 9,400 | 06/11/2004 | 06/11/2013 | Common Stock | 9,400 | \$0.0 | 0.0 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

<u>By: Jennifer F Wilson For:</u> <u>Jerry W Box</u>

02/21/2013

** 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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