**BAUTINA LESIA** Form 4

July 28, 2008

### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

**BAUTINA LESIA** 

(First) (Middle)

3700 BUFFALO SPEEDWAY, SUITE 960

HOUSTON, TX 77098

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CONTANGO OIL & GAS CO [MCF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/24/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner

\_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify below)

Sr Vice President & Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	07/24/2008		P	400	A	\$ 75.58	52,087	D	
Common Stock	07/24/2008		P	100	A	\$ 75.683	52,187	D	
Common Stock	07/24/2008		P	200	A	\$ 75.61	52,387	D	
Common Stock	07/24/2008		P	300	A	\$ 75.643	52,687	D	
Common Stock	07/24/2008		P	100	A	\$ 75.597	52,787	D	

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Common Stock	07/24/2008	P	200	A	\$ 75.607	52,987	D
Common Stock	07/24/2008	P	200	A	\$ 74.975	53,187	D
Common Stock	07/24/2008	P			\$ 74.948		D
Common Stock	07/24/2008	P	500	A	\$ 74.74	54,187	D
Common Stock	07/24/2008	P	8,300	A	\$ 75	62,487	D

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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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BAUTINA LESIA			Sr Vice					
3700 BUFFALO SPEEDWAY			President &					
SUITE 960								
HOUSTON, TX 77098			Controller					

2 Reporting Owners

## **Signatures**

Lesia Bautina 07/28/2008

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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).

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