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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement VAALCO ENERGY INC /DE/ [EGY] A Radoff Bradley Louis (Month/Day/Year) 09/25/2015 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1177 WEST LOOP (Check all applicable) SOUTH, SUITE 1625 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group _X__ 10% Owner Director Officer _X_ Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by One Reporting See Explanation of Responses Person HOUSTON, TXÂ 77027 _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Common Stock (1) (2) I 1,951,095 See Footnote (3) Common Stock (1) (2) I See Footnote (4) 85,000 Common Stock (1) (2) $D^{(5)}$ Â 1,938,905 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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 Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)				

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		Derivative S	Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	
D-4-	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative	Security:	
Date				Security	Direct (D)	
Exercisable					or Indirect	
					(I)	
					(Instr. 5)	

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Director

	Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips			ationsnips	
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
	Radoff Bradley Louis 1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1625 HOUSTON, TX 77027	Â	ÂΧ	Â	See Explanation of Responses	
	BLR Partners, LP 1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1625 HOUSTON, TX 77027	Â	ÂX	Â	See Explanation of Responses	
	BLRPart, LP 1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1625 HOUSTON, TX 77027	Â	ÂΧ	Â	See Explanation of Responses	
	BLRGP Inc. 1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1625 HOUSTON, TX 77027	Â	ÂΧ	Â	See Explanation of Responses	
	Fondren Management LP 1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1625 HOUSTON, TX 77027	Â	ÂX	Â	See Explanation of Responses	
	FMLP Inc. 1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1625 HOUSTON, TX 77027	Â	ÂΧ	Â	See Explanation of Responses	
	Radoff Family Foundation 1177 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1625 HOUSTON, TX 77027	Â	ÂX	Â	See Explanation of Responses	
	Signatures					
	By: /s/ Bradley L. Radoff					10/05/2015
**Signature of Reporting Person						Date
	BLR Partners LP; By: BLRPart, LP and BLRGP Inc.; By /s/ Bradley L. Radoff, Sole					

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**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
BLRPart, LP; By: BLRGP Inc.; By /s/ Bradley L. Radoff, Sole Director	10/05/2015		
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BLRGP Inc.; By /s/ Bradley L. Radoff, Sole Director	10/05/2015		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
Fondren Management, LP; By: FMLP Inc.; By /s/ Bradley L. Radoff, Sole Director			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
FMLP Inc.; By/ s/ Bradley L. Radoff, Sole Director	10/05/2015		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
The Radoff Family Foundation; By: /s/ Bradley L. Radoff, Director	10/05/2015		
**Cignature of Reporting Person	Date		

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).

This Form 3 is filed jointly by BLR Partners LP ("BLR Partners"), BLRPart, LP ("BLRPart GP"), BLRGP Inc. ("BLRGP"), Fondren Management, LP ("Fondren Management"), FMLP Inc. ("FMLP"), The Radoff Family Foundation ("Radoff Foundation"), and Bradley L. Radoff (collectively, the "Reporting Persons") who are filing this report because each of the Reporting Persons is a member of a

- (1) Section 13(d) group disclosed in a Schedule 13D filed on behalf of the Reporting Persons and certain other stockholders of the Issuer on September 25, 2015. Each Reporting Person is a member of a reporting group that owns in the aggregate more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding shares of Common Stock. As such, each Reporting Person may be deemed to beneficially own more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding shares of Common Stock. The securities reported herein do not include any securities held by any group member other than the Reporting Persons, as such shares are being reported in a separate Form 3 filing.
- Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock reported herein except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that any Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such shares of Common Stock for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
 - Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by BLR Partners. BLRPart GP, as the general partner of BLR Partners, may be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by BLR Partners. BLRGP, as the general partner of BLRPart GP, may be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by BLR Partners. Fondren Management, as the
- (3) investment manager of BLR Partners, may be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by BLR Partners. FMLP, as the general partner of Fondren Management, may be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by BLR Partners. Mr. Radoff, as the sole shareholder and sole director of each of BLRGP and FMLP may be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by BLR Partners.
- (4) Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Radoff Foundation. Mr. Radoff, as the director of Radoff Foundation, may be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Radoff Foundation.
- (5) Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Mr. Radoff.

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