PATTERSON UTI ENERGY INC

Form 4 June 30, 2014

FORM 4

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

TALBOTT	Symbo]	Issuer			
		PATTERSON UTI ENERGY INC [PTEN]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			(Month/Day/Year)				X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
P.O. BOX	06/26	2014			,,,	001011)			
		nendment, D Ionth/Day/Yea	_		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
SNYDER,	TX 79550					Ì	Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-	Derivative S	Securit	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	4. Securition of Dispose (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	d of (I	O)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share (1)	06/26/2014		M	150,000 (1)	A	\$ 24.63	440,476	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	06/26/2014		M	39 (1)	A	\$ 24.17	440,515	D	
Common Stock,	06/26/2014		S	150,039	D	\$ 34.53	290,476	D	

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\$.01 par value per share					(2)		
Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	06/27/2014	M	249,961 (1)	A	\$ 24.17	540,437	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	06/27/2014	S	249,961	D	\$ 34.46 (3)	290,476	D

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

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)			D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.63	06/26/2014		M		150,000	04/27/2008	04/26/2015	Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	150,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.17	06/26/2014		M		39	04/23/2010	09/30/2015	Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	39
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.17	06/27/2014		M		249,961	04/23/2010	09/30/2015	Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	249,96

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other					
TALBOTT CLOYCE A								
P.O. BOX 410	X							
SNYDER TX 79550								

Signatures

By Barry Huntsman pursuant to a Limited Power of Attorney filed with the SEC on 02/22/2013 /s/ Barry Huntsman

06/30/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- (1) Acquired upon exercise of option.
- (2) Weighted average price. Actual sales prices ranged from \$34.45 to \$34.74.
- (3) Weighted average price. Actual sales prices ranged from \$34.20 to \$34.70.

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