

Parsley Energy, Inc.  
Form 4  
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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 OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Gallagher Matthew

(Last) (First) (Middle)

303 COLORADO STREET, SUITE 3000

(Street)

AUSTIN, TX 78701

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Parsley Energy, Inc. [PE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/22/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

See Remarks

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |                        |           |   |  |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|------------------------|-----------|---|--|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   | (A) or (D)  | Price                  |           |   |  |
| Class A common stock            | 08/22/2016                           |  | S                              |   | 5,400   | D  |   | \$ 33.74<br><u>(1)</u> | 637,006   | D |  |
| Class A common stock            | 08/23/2016                           |  | S                              |   | 30,300  | D  |   | \$ 33.89<br><u>(2)</u> | 606,706   | D |  |
| Class A common stock            | 08/24/2016                           |  | S                              |   | 9,300   | D  |   | \$ 33.83<br><u>(3)</u> | 597,406   | D |  |
| Class B common                  |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  |   |                        | 1,000,000 | D |  |

stock <sup>(4)</sup>

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |             |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other       |
| Gallagher Matthew<br>303 COLORADO STREET, SUITE 3000<br>AUSTIN, TX 78701 |               |           |         | See Remarks |

## Signatures

/s/ Matt Gallagher, by Colin Roberts, as Attorney-in-Fact  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
 08/24/2016  
 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) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.70 to \$33.80, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Parsley Energy, Inc., any security holder of Parsley Energy, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1), (2) and (3) to this Form 4.
- (2) The price reported in Colum 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.70 to \$34.06, inclusive.

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- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.70 to \$33.99, inclusive.
- (4) Each share of Class B common stock has no economic rights but entitles its holder to one vote on all matters to be voted on by stockholders generally.

### **Remarks:**

Vice President - Chief Operating Officer

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