## FORM 4

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

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| (Last)   | of Reporting Person |   | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRECORA RESOURCES [TREC]             |  |  |   | 5   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner        |   |  |                        |  |  |   |
|--|---------------------|---|--|--|--|---|---|---|---|--|------------------------|--|--|---|
| 3727 FM 563  | (First)             |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2017                      |  |  |   |   | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  VP of Manufacturing                           |   |  |                        |  |  |   |
|  | (Street)            | 4   | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                             |  |  |   | 6   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person |   |  |                        |  |  |   |
| ANAHUAC, TX  | 77514               |   |  |  |  |   | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person                      |   |   |  |                        |  |  |   |
| (City)   | (State)             | (Zip)   | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |  |   |   |   |   |  |                        |  |  |   |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)                      |                     | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)    | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, in<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year                       |  | (Instr. 8)                                     |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |   | f (D) O   | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially<br>Owned Following Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                        |  | Ownership Form:  | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |
|  |                     |   | (Wolldin Day)  | r car)   | Cod  | e V A   |   | A) or<br>(D)  | Price   |  |                        |  | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)   | (Instr. 4)  |
| common stock   |                     | 02/09/2017                                    | 02/09/2017   | ,  | M  | 2,<br>(1                                      | 422<br>1  | L .   | <u>(2)</u> 1  | 9,352  |                        |  | D  |   |
| common stock   |                     | 02/09/2017                                    | 02/09/2017   | '  | F  | 79  | )1 D  | )   | <u>(2)</u> 1  | 8,561  |                        |  | D  |   |
| Title of 2.     Derivative Conversi                    | 3. Transaction      | 3A. Deemed                                    | e.g., puts, call   | <b>ls, wa</b><br>5. N                                  | rrants,  | Expiration Date Ar (Month/Day/Year) Ur Se (In |   | ities)  | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)  8. Price of Derivative Security Securities (Instr. 5)  (Instr. 4)  8. Price of Derivative Securities Gecurity Securities Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) |  |                        |  |  |   |
|  | (Month/Day/Year     | Execution Date, if)<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year | Code   | Deri<br>Secu<br>Acq<br>(A) o<br>Disp<br>of (I          | vative urities uired or bosed D) tr. 3, 4,     | Expiration I                                  | Date  | nd  | Amoun<br>Underly<br>Securit   | nt of<br>ying<br>ies<br>3 and 4)   | Derivative<br>Security | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficiall<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction | Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct ( or Indir                    | Ownersl<br>(Instr. 4)<br>ect                        |
| Security or Exerci<br>(Instr. 3) Price of<br>Derivativ | (Month/Day/Year     | any   | Code<br>) (Instr. 8)   | Deri<br>Secu<br>Acq<br>(A) o<br>Disp<br>of (I<br>(Inst | vative urities uired or coosed D) tr. 3, 4, 5) | Expiration I                                  | Date  |   | Amoun<br>Underly<br>Securit   | nt of<br>ying<br>ies   | Derivative<br>Security | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficiall<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction | Owners<br>Form of<br>Derivat<br>Security<br>Direct (<br>or Indirect) | hip of Indire<br>Benefici<br>Ownersl<br>(Instr. 4)  |

| Reporting Owner Name / Address     | Relationships |           |                     |       |  |  |
|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|--|--|
| reporting 6 where runne / reducess |               | 10% Owner | Officer             | Other |  |  |
| Franklin Ronald R.                 |               |           |                     |       |  |  |
| 3727 FM 563                        |               |           | VP of Manufacturing |       |  |  |
| ANAHUAC, TX 77514                  |               |           |                     |       |  |  |

## **Signatures**

| Ronald Franklin               | 02/13/2017 |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| 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) Vesting of 25% of restricted stock which was granted on 02/10/15
- (2) Granted as officer compensation

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