STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

SHACKOULS BOBBY S

Form 4

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHACKOULS BOBBY S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BURLINGTON RESOURCES INC [BR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 717 TEXAS A	(First) VENUE, S	(Middle) UITE 2100	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/23/2004	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chmn of Brd, Pres & CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
HOUSTON, T	X 77002		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities oner Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I and 5) (A) or	0)	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)
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price \$, , , ,		
Common Stock	11/23/2004		M	3,800 (1)	A	25.36 (1)	163,800 (1)	D	
Common Stock	11/23/2004		S	3,800	D	\$ 44.61	160,000	D	
Common Stock	11/23/2004		M	196,200 (1)	A	\$ 25.36 (1)	356,200 (1)	D	
Common Stock	11/23/2004		S	1,000	D	\$ 44.7	355,200	D	
	11/23/2004		S	2,500	D		352,700	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 44.69
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	6,000	D	\$ 44.68 346,700 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	9,500	D	\$ 44.67 337,200 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	15,300	D	\$ 44.66 321,900 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	22,300	D	\$ 299,600 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	7,800	D	\$ 44.64 291,800 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	11,700	D	\$ 44.63 280,100 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	8,600	D	\$ 271,500 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	3,000	D	\$ 44.61 268,500 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	87,500	D	\$ 44.6 181,000 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	2,200	D	\$ 44.59 178,800 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	9,100	D	\$ 44.58 169,700 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	1,300	D	\$ 44.56 168,400 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	1,800	D	\$ 166,600 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	1,500	D	\$ 44.51 165,100 D
Common Stock	11/23/2004	S	5,100	D	\$ 44.5 160,000 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)

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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)	tiorDerivative Securities		Derivative Expiration Date Gecurities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4, and		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)	\$ 25.36 (1)	11/23/2004		M		3,800 (1)	01/17/2002	01/16/2011	Common Stock	3,800 (1
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.36 (1)	11/23/2004		M		196,200 (1)	01/17/2002	01/17/2011	Common Stock	196,200 (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer and the same and	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SHACKOULS BOBBY S 717 TEXAS AVENUE SUITE 2100 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		Chmn of Brd, Pres & CEO				

Signatures

Bobby S.
Shackouls

**Signature of Reporting Person

Bobby S.

11/24/2004

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) Amounts adjusted for a 2 for 1 stock split payable June 1, 2004 to holders of record on May 5, 2004.

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