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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Henderson Tracey K</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 2000 POST OAK BLVD. SUITE 100 (Street) HOUSTON TX 77056 (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>APA Corp [APA]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) X <u>Executive VP Exploration</u> |
| | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2024 | |
| | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | |

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 | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/25/2024 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 28,399 | A | \$0 | 48,857 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/25/2024 | | D ⁽²⁾ | | 28,399 | D | \$35.88 | 20,458 | D | |

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | | | | Title |
| Restricted Stock / Units ⁽³⁾ | \$0 ⁽²⁾ | 01/25/2024 | | A | | 56,799 | | (4) | (4) | Common Stock | 56,799 | \$0 | 136,707 | D | |
| Restricted Stock / Units ⁽³⁾ | \$0 ⁽²⁾ | 01/25/2024 | | M | | 28,399 | | (1) | (1) | Common Stock | 28,399 | \$0 | 108,308 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- RSU vesting under 2021 Performance Program under 2016 Omnibus Equity Compensation Plan to be settled in cash only.
- Each restricted stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of the Issuer's common stock and can only be settled in cash.
- With tandem tax withholding right.
- 2021 Performance Program under 2016 Omnibus Equity Compensation Plan with performance period ended 12/31/2023. Final number of RSUs determined on 1/25/2024.

Remarks:

Raj Sharma, Attorney-in-Fact 01/26/2024

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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