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**LODGEMENT WITH ASX OF FORM 3 FILINGS
WITH THE US SEC BY MPC DIRECTORS**

The Company lodges with ASX the attached MPC Directors' Form 3s filed with the US SEC yesterday.

FORM 3

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

OMB APPROVAL

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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* J. Thomas Wilson			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/09/2009		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Magellan Petroleum Corporation (MPET)		
(Last) 720 Emerson Street	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
(Street) Denver, CO 80218						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I — Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	5,000 shares	D	

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 5(b)(v).

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Table II – Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securities (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

**Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.
See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/s/ J. Thomas Wilson
**Signature of Reporting Person

July 20, 2009
Date

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nikolay V. Bogachev			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/09/2009		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Magellan Petroleum Corporation (MPET)		
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(Street) RUS-119034 Moscow, Russia							
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Common Stock	13,043,478	I	By Young Energy Prize S.A.

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Warrant	7/9/09	7/9/14	Common Stock	4,347,826 shares	\$1.25/sh	I	By Young Energy Prize S.A.

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See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/s/ Nikolay V. Bogachev
**Signature of Reporting Person

July 21, 2009
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