LITT MARTIN D

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LITT MARTIN D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Intrepid Potash, Inc. [IPI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

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

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O INTREPID POTASH, INC., 707

(Street)

(State)

12/20/2012

below)

17TH STREET, SUITE 4200

EVP and General Counsel

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person n Denivotive Committee Appring Disposed of an Deneficially Or

DENVER, CO 80202

(City)

(511)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-L	Derivative 1	Securi	ities Acqu	nred, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5	5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/20/2012		A	12,886 (1)	A	\$0	33,786	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2012		F	1,335 (2)	D	\$ 21.34	32,451 <u>(3)</u>	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number	Number		
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

LITT MARTIN D C/O INTREPID POTASH, INC. 707 17TH STREET, SUITE 4200 DENVER, CO 80202

EVP and General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Margaret E. McCandless, as attorney-in-fact

12/24/2012

**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).

The acquisition represents an award of restricted stock that vests in three equal installments on December 20, 2012, December 20, 2013, and December 20, 2014, subject to the reporting person's continued employment with the company through the vesting date. This award

- (1) was granted to the reporting person in recognition of his work for the company relating to the issuance by the U.S. Department of the Interior of an updated Secretarial Order governing the administration of the federal mineral resources in the Secretary's Designated Potash Area.
- The disposition represents the net share settlement of shares for income tax purposes upon the first vesting date of the restricted stock award granted on December 20, 2012.
- (3) The balance represents 11,109 unrestricted shares of common stock and 21,342 shares of restricted stock.

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