

Intrepid Potash, Inc.  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â HARVEY OPERATING & PRODUCTION CO			(Month/Day/Year)	Intrepid Potash, Inc. [IPI]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/25/2008		
C/O INTREPID POTASH, INC., Â 700 17TH STREET, SUITE 1700			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)		
DENVER, Â CO Â 80202			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
					<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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	16,136,000	D <sup>(1)</sup>	Â

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

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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 Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)
		Title			

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HARVEY OPERATING & PRODUCTION CO C/O INTREPID POTASH, INC. 700 17TH STREET, SUITE 1700 DENVER, CO 80202	X	X		

## Signatures

/s/ Jennifer A. D'Alessandro, as attorney-in-fact 04/28/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Pursuant to an Exchange Agreement dated as of April 21, 2008, by and between Intrepid Mining LLC ("Intrepid Mining") and Intrepid Potash, Inc. (the "Issuer"), Intrepid Mining transferred all of its nonmonetary assets to the Issuer in exchange for (1) approximately \$757.4 million in cash, (2) 40,339,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock, and (3) assumption by the Issuer of (a) all amounts in excess of \$18.9 million of Intrepid Mining's liability under its senior credit facility and (b) all other liabilities and obligations of Intrepid Mining. The reporting person held a 40% membership interest in Intrepid Mining. On April 25, 2008, Intrepid Mining dissolved and distributed its assets, including the shares of the Issuer's common stock, to its members on a pro rata basis.

**Remarks:**  
The reporting person is deemed a director by deputization of the Issuer by virtue of the reporting person's position.

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