UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Quarterly Period Ended June 30, 2014

Commission File No. 000-22750

ROYALE ENERGY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<u>California</u>

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

<u>33-0224120</u> (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3777 Willow Glen Drive San Diego, CA 92019

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

619-383-6800

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act during the past 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes \boxtimes No \square

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes 🗵 No 🗆

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Check one:

Large accelerated filer \square Non-accelerated filer \square Accelerated filer □ Smaller reporting company ⊠

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a blank check company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes 🗆 No 🗵

At June 30, 2014, a total of 14,942,728 shares of registrant's common stock were outstanding.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

ROYALE ENERGY, INC. BALANCE SHEETS

	June 30, 2014 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2013 (Audited)
ASSETS		
Current Assets		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,967,509	\$ 4,878,233
Accounts Receivable, net	2,521,208	1,680,792
Prepaid Expenses	580,019	684,848
Available for Sale Securities	16,448	16,448
Inventory	320,473	317,043
Total Current Assets	6,405,657	7,577,364
Other Assets	946	946
Oil and Gas Properties, at cost, (successful efforts basis), Equipment and Fixtures	7,616,046	7,237,382
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Total Assets	<u>\$ 14,022,649</u>	\$ 14,815,692

See notes to unaudited financial statements

ROYALE ENERGY, INC. BALANCE SHEETS

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Current Liabilities: Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses \$ 5,625,338 Current Portion of Long-Term Debt Current Portion of Deferred Tax Liability Deferred Drilling Obligations 5,606,951 6,125,933 Total Current Liabilities 11,262,260
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Noncurrent Liabilities:
Asset Retirement Obligation 835,346 862,369 Note Payable 1,461,462 1,477,084
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Total Noncurrent Liabilities 2,296,808 2,339,453
Total Liabilities 13,559,068 13,822,400
Stockholders' Equity:
Common Stock, no par value, authorized 20,000,000 shares,
14,942,728 shares outstanding. 37,996,866 37,996,866
Convertible preferred stock, Series AA, no par value,
147,500 shares authorized; 52,784 outstanding 154,014 154,014
Accumulated (Deficit) (38,001,099) (37,471,388)
Paid in Capital 303,855 303,855
Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income 9,945 9,945
Total Stockholders' Equity 463,581 993,292
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Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity \$ 14,022,649 \$ 14,815,692

See notes to unaudited financial statements

ROYALE ENERGY, INC. STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,			
	(U	2014 Jnaudited))13-restated Unaudited)	2014 (Unaudited)	2013-restat (Unaudited	
Revenues:							
Sale of Oil and Gas	\$	744,410	\$	457,101	\$ 1,569,966	\$ 78	37,996
Supervisory Fees and Other		174,429		184,267	327,904	32	25,038
Total Revenues		918,839		641,368	1,897,870	1,11	3,034
Costs and Expenses:							
General and Administrative		587,070		696,201	1,422,131	1,55	56,214
Lease Operating		267,826		239,928	721,362	50)7,137
Delay Rentals		12,298		1,200	31,792	2	26,813
Legal and Accounting		49,751		80,833	268,403	25	52,464
Marketing		35,122		65,095	130,318	10)2,721
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization		88,309		63,030	178,135		26,311
Total Costs and Expenses		1,040,376		1,146,287	2,752,141	2,57	71,660
Gain on Turnkey Drilling Programs		415,487		321,831	396,454	24	1,932
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Assets		(34,601)		2,294,920	(34,601)		94,920
Income (Loss) From Operations Other Income (Expense):		259,349		2,111,832	(492,418)	1,07	78,226
Interest Expense		(21,955)		(102,499)	(37,293)	(30)3,367)
Income (Loss) Before Income Tax Expense (Benefit)		237,394		2,009,333	(529,711)	77	74,859
Net Income (Loss)	\$	237,394		2,009,333	(529,711)	77	74,859
Basic Earnings (Loss) Per Share	\$	0.02		0.15	(0.04)		0.06
Diluted Earnings (Loss) Per Share	\$	0.02		0.15	(0.04)		0.06
Other Comprehensive Income							
Unrealized Gain on Equity Securities	\$	0		0	0		0
Other Comprehensive Income, before tax							
Income Tax Expense Related to Items of Other Comprehensive Income		0	_	0	0		0
Other Comprehensive Income, net of tax		0		0	0		0
Comprehensive Income (Loss)	\$	237,394		2,009,333	(529,711)	77	74,859

See notes to unaudited financial statements

ROYALE ENERGY, INC. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

	2014 (Unaudited)	2013-Restated (Unaudited)
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Net Income (Loss)	\$ (529,711)	\$ 774,859
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Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income (Loss) to Net		
Cash Used in Operating Activities: Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization	178,135	126,311
(Gain) Loss on Sale of Assets	34,601	(2,294,920)
(Gain) on Turnkey Drilling Programs	(396,454)	(2,294,920) (241,932)
Debt Discount Amortization, net of adjustments	(390,434)	280,583
Decrease (Increase) in:	Ŭ	200,505
Accounts Receivable	(840,416)	426.047
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	101,399	(119,584)
Increase (Decrease) in:	101,577	(11),504)
Accounts Payable and Accrued expenses	265,992	(452,057)
Deferred Drilling Obligations	(518,982)	(118,118)
Defended Drining Congations	(310,702)	(110,110)
Net Cash Used in Operating Activities	(1,705,436)	(1,618,811)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Expenditures for Oil and Gas Properties and Other Capital Expenditures	(2,495,777)	(1,156,458)
Proceeds from Turnkey Drilling Programs	2,300,831	893,667
Proceeds from Sale of Assets	0	3,413,155
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Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	(194,946)	3,150,364
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Principal Payments on Long-Term Debt	(10,342)	(1,183,333)
Proceeds from Stock Option and Warrant Exercises	0	639.671
Proceeds from Sale of Common Stock	0	1,021,668
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Financing Activities	(10,342)	478,006
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(1,910,724)	2,009,559
Cash at Beginning of Year	\$ 4,878,233	\$ 1,489,930
Cash at End of Period	\$ 2,967,509	\$ 3,499,489
Cash Paid for Interest	\$ 37,293	\$ 22,785
Cash Paid for Taxes	\$ 1,900	\$ 800
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Non-Cash Investing and Financing Transactions	¢ 0	¢ 054547
Conversion of Debt to Common Stock	<u>\$0</u>	\$ 954,547

See notes to unaudited financial statements

ROYALE ENERGY, INC. NOTES TO UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 – In the opinion of management, the accompanying unaudited financial statements include all adjustments, consisting only of normally recurring adjustments, necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position and the results of its operations and cash flows for the periods presented. The results of operations for the six month period are not, in management's opinion, indicative of the results to be expected for a full year of operations. It is suggested that these financial statements be read in conjunction with the financial statements and the notes thereto included in the Company's latest annual report.

NOTE 2 - EARNINGS (LOSS) PER SHARE

Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per share are calculated as follows:

		Three Months Ended June 30,						
		2014			2013			
		Basic		Diluted		Basic		Diluted
Net Income	\$	237,394	\$	237,394	\$	2,009,333	\$	2,009,333
Weighted average common shares outstanding		14,942,728		14,942,728		13,211,602		13,211,602
Effect of dilutive securities				167,477				77,201
Weighted average common shares, including								
Dilutive effect		14,942,728		15,110,205		13,211,602		13,288,803
Per share:								
Net income	\$	0.02	\$	0.02	\$	0.15	\$	0.15
	Six Months Ended June 30,							
				Six Months E	nded .	lune 30,		
		20	14	Six Months E	nded .	,	13	
	_	20 Basic	14	Six Months E Diluted	nded .	,	13	Diluted
Net Income (Loss)	\$		14 \$			20	13 \$	Diluted 774,859
Net Income (Loss) Weighted average common shares outstanding	\$	Basic		Diluted		20 Basic		
	\$	Basic (529,711)		Diluted (529,711)		20 Basic 774,859		774,859
Weighted average common shares outstanding	\$	Basic (529,711) 14,942,728		Diluted (529,711) 14,942,728		20 Basic 774,859		774,859 13,211,602
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For the six months ended June 30, 2014, Royale Energy had dilutive securities of 157,472. These securities were not included in the dilutive loss per share due to their antidilutive nature.



ROYALE ENERGY, INC. NOTES TO UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 3 - OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES, EQUIPMENT AND FIXTURES

Oil and gas properties, equipment and fixtures consist of the following:

	e 30, 2014 naudited)	mber 31, 2013 (Audited)
Oil and Gas		
Producing properties, including drilling costs	\$ 5,356,543	\$ 4,862,657
Undeveloped properties	2,770,482	2,779,672
Lease and well equipment	4,178,242	4,075,320
	 12,305,267	11,717,649
Accumulated depletion, depreciation & amortization	 (7,190,812)	(7,065,362)
	 5,114,455	4,652,287
Commercial and Other		
Real estate, including furniture and fixtures	\$ 2,503,803	\$ 2,503,803
Vehicles	120,314	120,314
Furniture and equipment	1,055,187	1,300,523
	 3,679,304	3,924,640
Accumulated depreciation	(1,177,713)	(1,339,545)
	 2,501,591	2,585,095
	\$ 7,616,046	\$ 7,237,382

The guidance set forth in the Continued Capitalization of Exploratory Well Costs paragraph of the Extractive Activities Topic of the FASB Accounting Standards Codification requires that we evaluate all existing capitalized exploratory well costs and disclose the extent to which any such capitalized costs have become impaired and are expensed or reclassified during a fiscal period. We did not make any additions to capitalized exploratory well costs pending a determination of proved reserves during the periods in 2014 or 2013.

NOTE 4 - RESTATEMENT TO REFLECT CHANGE IN REVENUE RECOGNITION POLICY

The Company has restated its previously issued 2013 financial statements for the correction of an error in the method of revenue recognition. The effect on the Company's issued June 30, 2013 financial statements is summarized below:

	As Previously Reported	As Restated
Statement of Operations for the period ended June 30, 2013: Revenues:		
Turnkey Drilling	893,667	0
Total Revenues	2,006,701	1,113,034
Costs and Expenses:		
Turnkey Drilling and Development Expense	541,843	0
Lease Operating Expense	533,950	507,137
Delay Rentals Expense	0	26,813
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization Expense	461,264	126,311
Total Costs and Expenses	3,448,456	2,571,660
Net Income	549,798	774,859

NOTE 5 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On July 29, 2014, Royale Energy, Inc. notified Kuukpik Drill that Royale was terminating its contract for drilling two wells on Royale's block on the North Slope in Alaska, during the 2014-2015 drilling season. Royale elected to terminate the contract after Rampart Energy, Ltd., notified Royale that Rampart would not fund the initial payment due to Kuupik Drill under the drilling contract. The decision was made to avoid incurring penalty fees that would have become due to Kuupik Drill for failure to make timely payment. Royale believes that the drilling contract could be reinstated for the 2014-2015 season if new arrangements can be made to fund the drilling commitment.



Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Forward Looking Statements

In addition to historical information contained herein, this discussion contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, subject to various risks and uncertainties that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those in the "forward-looking" statements. While we believe our forward looking statements are based upon reasonable assumptions, there are factors that are difficult to predict and that are influenced by economic and other conditions beyond our control. Investors are directed to consider such risks and other uncertainties discussed in documents filed by the Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Results of Operations

For the six months ended June 30, 2014, we had a net loss of \$529,711 compared to net income of \$774,859 during the six months ended June 30, 2013, a \$1,304,570 decrease. Total revenues for the six months ended June 30, 2014 were \$1,897,870, an increase of \$784,836 or 70.5% from the total revenues of \$1,113,034 during the period in 2013. The lower net income in 2014 is primarily the result of the 2013 sale of a portion of our oil and gas leases in Alaska; see our Form 8-K filed on May 24, 2013. The higher revenues in 2014 were the result of increases in both natural gas prices and production volumes during the six months in 2014, when compared to 2013.

During the first six months of 2014, revenues from oil and gas production increased \$781,970 or 99.2% to \$1,569,966 from the 2013 six month revenues of \$787,996. This increase was due to higher natural gas production and commodity prices. The net sales volume of natural gas for the six months ended June 30, 2014, was approximately 305,978 Mcf with an average price of \$5.03 per Mcf, versus 197,462 Mcf with an average price of \$3.73 per Mcf for the period in 2013. This represents an increase in net sales volume of 108,516 Mcf or 55%. The net sales volume for oil and condensate (natural gas liquids) production was 332 barrels at an average price of \$93.40 per barrel for the first six months of 2014, compared to 566 barrels with an average price of \$92.82 per barrel for the same period in 2013. This represents a decrease in net sales volume of 234 barrels or 41.5%.

For the quarter ended June 30, 2014, revenues from oil and gas production increased \$287,309 or 62.9% to \$744,410 from the 2013 second quarter revenues of \$457,101. This increase was also due to higher natural gas commodity prices and increased production, as several new wells drilled at the end of 2013 and beginning of 2014 were brought online. The net sales volume of natural gas for the quarter ended June 30, 2014, was approximately 157,655 Mcf with an average price of \$4.69 per Mcf, versus 108,931 Mcf with an average price of \$3.94 per Mcf for the second quarter of 2013. This represents an increase in net sales volume of 48,724 Mcf or 44.7%. The net sales volume for oil and condensate (natural gas liquids) production was 52 barrels with an average price of \$96.66 per barrel for the second quarter of 2013.

Oil and natural gas lease operating expenses increased by \$214,225 or 42.2%, to \$721,362 for the six months ended June 30, 2014, from \$507,137 for the same period in 2013. For the second quarter in 2014, lease operating expenses increased \$27,898 or 11.6% from the same period in 2013. This difference was mainly due to increased plugging and abandonment expenses and an increase in compression charges resulting from higher production volumes during the period in 2014. Delay rental costs increased by \$4,979 or 18.6%, to \$31,792 for the six months ended June 30, 2014 from \$26,813 for the same period in 2013.

The aggregate of supervisory fees and other income was \$327,904 for six months ended June 30, 2014, an increase of \$2,866 or 0.9% from \$325,038 during the period in 2013. This increase was the result of higher overhead rates during the period in 2014 due to higher production volumes. During the second quarter 2014, supervisory fees and other income decreased \$9,838, mainly due to lower pipeline fees.

Depreciation, depletion and amortization expense increased to \$178,135 from \$126,311, an increase of \$51,824 or 41% for the six months ended June 30, 2014, as compared to the same period in 2013. During the second quarter 2014, depreciation, depletion and amortization expenses increased \$25,279 or 40.1%. The depletion rate is calculated using production as a percentage of reserves. This increase in depreciation expense was mainly due to a higher depletion rate as production volumes were higher during the period.

General and administrative expenses decreased by \$134,083 or 8.6% from \$1,556,214 for the six months ended June 30, 2013, to \$1,422,131, for the period in 2014. For the second quarter 2014, general and administrative expenses decreased \$109,131 or 15.7% when compared to the same period in 2013. This decrease was primarily due to lower office rent expense during the period in 2014, as the company relocated into its own office building which it purchased at the end of 2013. Marketing expense for the six months ended June 30, 2014, increased \$27,597, or 26.9%, to \$130,318, compared to \$102,721 for the same period in 2013. For the second quarter 2014, marketing expenses decreased \$29,973 or 46.1% when compared to the second quarter in 2013. Marketing expense varies from period to period according to the number of marketing events attended by personnel and their associated costs.

Legal and accounting expense increased to \$268,403 for the six months ended June 30, 2014, compared to \$252,464 for the same period in 2013, a \$15,939 or 6.3% increase. This increase was mainly a result of higher legal fees paid during the period in 2014, primarily in the first quarter. For the second quarter 2014, legal and accounting expenses decreased \$31,082 or 38.5%, when compared to the same period in 2013.

At June 30, 2014, Royale Energy had a Deferred Drilling Obligation of \$5,606,951. During this period, we disposed of \$2,300,831 of these obligations upon completing the drilling of three wells, while incurring expenses of \$1,904,377, resulting in a gain of \$396,454. In the same period in 2013, we disposed of \$893,667 of these obligations upon completing one well, while incurring expenses of \$651,735, resulting in a gain of \$241,932.

During the period in 2014, we recorded a loss of \$34,601 on previously capitalized office leasehold improvements due to our office relocation. In the second quarter of 2013 we recorded a gain of \$2,337,104 from the sale of a portion of our western block oil and gas leases in Alaska. During the period in 2013, we also recorded a gain of \$40,000 on the sale of oil and gas leases in Texas and recorded a loss of \$82,184 on the sale of surface casing previously included in inventory.

Interest expense decreased to \$37,293 for the six months ended June 30, 2014, from \$303,367 for the same period in 2013, a \$266,074, or 87.7% decrease. This decrease resulted from a reduction of outstanding indebtedness after repayment during 2013 of a convertible note.

Capital Resources and Liquidity

At June 30, 2014, Royale Energy had current assets totaling \$6,405,657 and current liabilities totaling \$11,262,260, a \$4,856,603 working capital deficit. We had cash and cash equivalents at June 30, 2014, of \$2,967,509 compared to \$4,878,233 at December 31, 2013.

In October 2012, the Company obtained \$3 million from the issuance of a convertible note. See the Company's Prospectus Supplement filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) on October 29, 2012, and the Company's Form 8-K filed on October 29, 2012. The Company used these proceeds for general corporate purposes, including the reduction of outstanding bank debt and for capital expenditures on oil and gas development. At June 30, 2013, the net outstanding balance of this note was \$401,371. During 2013, Royale repaid the note by paying a portion of the principal and interest in cash and by exercising the conversion feature to convert a portion of the principal and interest to common stock. As of September 30, 2013, this note was paid in full.

In December of 2013, Royale purchased an office building valued at \$2,000,000, of which \$500,000 was paid in cash on the date of purchase, and \$1,500,000 was borrowed from American West Bank, with a note secured by the property being purchased. The note carries an interest rate of 5.75% until paid in full. Royale will pay this loan in 119 regular payments of \$9,525 each and one balloon payment estimated at \$1,150,435. Royale's first payment was due February 1, 2014, and all subsequent payments are due on the same day of each month after that. Royale's final payment will be due on January 1, 2024, and will be for all principal and all accrued interest not yet paid. Payments include principal and interest. At June 30, 2014, the outstanding balance of this note was \$1,489,658.

At June 30, 2014, our accounts receivable totaled \$2,521,208, compared to \$1,680,792 at December 31, 2013, an \$840,416 or 50% increase. This was primarily due to higher oil and gas revenue receivables due to higher commodity prices and increased production during the period. At June 30, 2014, our accounts payable and accrued expenses totaled \$5,625,338, an increase of \$293,015 or 5.5% from the accounts payable at December 31, 2013, of \$5,332,323, mainly due to higher accrued drilling costs at the end of the period.

Ordinarily, we fund our operations and cash needs from our available credit and cash flows generated from operations. We believe that we have sufficient liquidity for the foreseeable future and do not foresee any liquidity demands that cannot be met from cash flow or financing activities, including ongoing operations as the Company continues to increase its well inventory or additional sales of equity or debt securities pursuant to a Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed with the SEC.

Operating Activities. Net cash used by operating activities totaled \$1,705,436 and \$1,618,811 for the six month periods ended June 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. This \$86,625 difference in cash was mainly due to increases in accounts receivable during the period in 2014, due to higher oil and natural gas revenue receivables.

Investing Activities. Net cash used by investing activities, primarily in capital acquisitions of oil and gas properties, amounted to \$194,946 and net cash provided by investing activities were \$3,150,364 for the six month periods ended June 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. This difference was primarily due to sale of a portion of our leases in Alaska during the period in 2013, from which we received proceeds of approximately \$3,400,000. During the six month periods in 2014 and 2013, the Company drilled three wells and one well, respectively.



Financing Activities. Net cash used by financing activities totaled \$10,342 in the second quarter of 2014, which were principal payments on the Company's long-term debt; while \$478,006 was provided by financing activities for the six month period ended June 30, 2013. This difference in cash was mainly due to the proceeds received during the period in 2013 for common stock sales and warrant exercises. During the six months ended June 30, 2013, Royale received proceeds of \$1,021,668 and issued 500,000 shares of its common stock relating to its market equity offering program. Also during the period in 2013, several warrants were exercised in exchange for shares of Royale's common stock, and we received \$639,672 and issued 321,443 shares of our common stock relating to these exercises. These proceeds were added to working capital and used for ordinary operating expense.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Our major market risk exposure relates to pricing of oil and gas production. The prices we receive for oil and gas are closely related to worldwide market prices for crude oil and local spot prices paid for natural gas production. Prices have been volatile for the last several years, and we expect that volatility to continue. Monthly average natural gas prices ranged from a low of \$4.69 per Mcf to a high of \$6.77 per Mcf for the first six months of 2014. We have not entered into any hedging or derivative agreements to limit our exposure to changes in oil and gas prices or interest rates.

Item 4. Controls and Procedures

As of June 30, 2014, an evaluation was performed under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our CEO and CFO, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures. These controls and procedures are based on the definition of disclosure controls and procedures in Rule 13a-15(e) and Rule 15d-15(e) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Based on that evaluation, our management, including the CEO and CFO, concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of June 30, 2014.

No changes occurred in our internal control over financial reporting during the six months ended June 30, 2014, that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

Douglas Jones v. Royale Energy, Broward County Circuit Court, Florida. On July 1, 2010, Douglas Jones filed a lawsuit against the Company in the Circuit Court, 17th Judicial District, Broward County, Florida. Mr. Jones was an employee handling certain aspects of sales for the Company prior to July 2, 2008. He asserts that he is entitled to an unspecified amount for commissions and expenses. The Company denies that any money is owed to Mr. Jones. On August 16, 2010, the Company, through Florida counsel Adam Hodkin, filed a motion to dismiss the lawsuit for lack of jurisdiction in the Florida courts. The Court ruled that it wanted to have an evidentiary hearing on the motion. The Court finally held the evidentiary hearing on May 5, 2014. No ruling has yet been issued. If the motion to dismiss is denied, Royale intends to answer the complaint and oppose the lawsuit vigorously.

Item 1A. Risk Factors

Please review the risk factors contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013.

Item 6. Exhibits

31.1	Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification
31.2	Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification
32.1	18 U.S.C. § 1350 Certification
32.2	18 U.S.C. § 1350 Certification
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Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

		ROYALE ENERGY, INC.
Date:	August 1, 2014	/s/ Donald H. Hosmer Donald H. Hosmer, Co-President and Co-Chief Executive Officer
Date:	August 1, 2014	/s/ Stephen M. Hosmer Stephen M. Hosmer, Co-President, Co-Chief Executive Officer, and Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit 31.1

I, Donald H. Hosmer, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this report on Form 10-Q of Royale Energy, Inc.;

2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;

3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;

4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:

a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;

b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

d) disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):

a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 1, 2014

/s/ Donald H. Hosmer

Donald H. Hosmer, Co-President and Co-Chief Executive Officer

Exhibit 31.2

I, Stephen M. Hosmer, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this report on Form 10-Q of Royale Energy, Inc.;

2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;

3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;

4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:

a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;

b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

d) disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions)

a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 1, 2014

/s/ Stephen M. Hosmer

Stephen M. Hosmer, Co-President, Co-Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit 32.1

Certification Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350

The undersigned, Donald H. Hosmer, Co-President and Co-Chief Executive Officer of Royale Energy, Inc., a California corporation (the "Company"), pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes Oxley Act of 2002, hereby certifies that:

(1) the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended June 30, 2014 (the "Report") fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and

(2) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: August 1, 2014

/s/ Donald H. Hosmer

By:

Donald H. Hosmer, Co-President and Co Chief Executive Officer

Exhibit 32.2

Certification Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350

The undersigned, Stephen M. Hosmer, Co-President, Co-Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of Royale Energy, Inc., a California corporation (the "Company"), pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes Oxley Act of 2002, hereby certifies that:

(1) the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended June 30, 2014 (the "Report") fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and

(2) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: August 1, 2014

By:

/s/ Stephen M. Hosmer Stephen M. Hosmer, Co-President, Co-Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer