UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 3)*

> HighPeak Energy, Inc. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 (Title of Class of Securities)

> <u>43114Q 105</u> (CUSIP Number)

Jack Hightower HighPeak Energy, Inc. 421 W. 3rd Street, Suite 1000 Fort Worth, Texas 76102 <u>Telephone: (817) 850-9200</u> (Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

August 27, 2024

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(e), Rule 13d-1(f) or Rule 13d-1(g), check the following box. \Box

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* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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- 1. Mr. Hightower may be deemed to have beneficial ownership of 94,577,869 shares. A portion of such shares are held (in the amounts set forth below) by HighPeak Energy Partners, LP, HighPeak Energy Partners II, LP and HighPeak Pure Acquisition, LLC.
- 2. Includes (i) 7,847,495 shares issuable upon the exercise of stock options that have been vested as of the date hereof and (ii) 681,298 shares issuable upon the exercise of warrants exercisable within sixty (60) days of the date hereof.
- 3. Includes (i) 2,336 shares and (ii) 2,336 shares issuable upon the exercise of warrants exercisable within sixty (60) days of the date hereof, beneficially owned by Mr. Hightower's family member.
- 4. Based on 135,580,929 shares, including 127,047,464 shares outstanding as of August 23, 2024; 8,528,793 shares issuable upon the exercise of warrants and exercisable stock options held by Mr. Hightower and 2,336 shares issuable upon the exercise of warrants exercisable within sixty (60) days of the date hereof beneficially owned by Mr. Hightower's family member.

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1. Based on 127,047,464 shares outstanding as of August 23, 2024.

This Amendment No. 3 to the Statement of Beneficial Ownership on Schedule 13D (this "Amendment") amends the Statement of Beneficial Ownership on Schedule 13D filed by the Filing Parties on August 31, 2020, as amended and supplemented from time to time (the "Schedule 13D"), with respect to the Common Stock of the Company. Capitalized terms used but not defined in this Amendment shall have the meanings set forth on the Schedule 13D. Except as amended and supplemented by this Amendment, the Schedule 13D remains unchanged.

Item 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS OR OTHER CONSIDERATION

This Amendment amends and supplements Item 3 of the Schedule 13D to disclose the following:

On December 21, 2022, Mr. Hightower purchased 14,601 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$21.94 to \$22.00, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$21.98, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$321,000 with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

On December 22, 2022, Mr. Hightower purchased 35,399 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$21.67 to \$22.00, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$21.88, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$775,000 with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

On January 4, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 131,539 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at a price of \$22 per share. The aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$2,894,000 with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

On July 21, 2023, the Company closed an underwritten offering of 14,835,000 shares of Common Stock (the "July 2023 Offering"). In connection with the July 2023 Offering, Mr. Hightower purchased 952,380 shares of Common Stock at the purchase price of \$10.50 per share with a combination of personal and borrowed funds. The Company intends to use the net proceeds from the July 2023 Offering for working capital, including a portion of the currently due accounts discussed in the final prospectus supplement filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on July 21, 2023, and to otherwise enhance near-term liquidity.

On September 19, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 224,001 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$16.36 to \$16.75, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$16.59, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$3.7 million with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

On September 20, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 275,999 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$16.32 to \$16.60, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$16.55, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$4.6 million with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

On December 21, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 50,442 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.14 to \$14.20, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$14.19, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$715,700 in personal funds.

On December 22, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 100,000 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.39 to \$14.50, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$14.47, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$1.4 million in personal funds.

On December 27, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 9,315 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.96 to \$15.00, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$15.00, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$137,000 in personal funds.

On December 28, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 104,715 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.58 to \$15.00, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$14.78, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$1.5 million in personal funds.

On December 29, 2023, Mr. Hightower purchased 50,000 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.62 to \$14.75, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$14.69, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$734,000 in personal funds.

On August 27, 2024, Mr. Hightower purchased 50,000 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$15.34 to \$15.50, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$15.50, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$775,000 with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

On August 28, 2024, Mr. Hightower purchased 64,744 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$15.23 to \$15.50, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$15.41, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$1.0 million with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

On August 29, 2024, Mr. Hightower purchased 17,743 shares of Common Stock on the open market in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$15.39 to \$15.78, inclusive. The weighted average price per share was \$15.50, and the aggregate cash consideration was approximately \$1.0 million with a combination of personal and borrowed funds.

With respect to Mr. Hightower's beneficial ownership of the securities of the Company set forth in rows 7 through 13 on the cover page of this Schedule 13D, 3,105,378 shares of Common Stock held by Mr. Hightower directly are pledged to secure bank loans and a portion of Mr. Hightower's interests in HighPeak Energy Partners, LP and HighPeak Energy Partners GP, LP which are entitled to 6,312,015 shares of Common Stock are pledged to secure bank loans and which would be required to be distributed via a pro rata distribution upon any foreclosure of those

interests. It is possible that if Mr. Hightower makes additional purchases in the open market directly, he may also pledge those shares to secure bank loans.

SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of his or its knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: August 29, 2024

By:	/s/ Jack Hightower
Name:	Jack Hightower

HIGHPEAK ENERGY PARTNERS, LP

By: By:	HighPeak Energy Partners GP, LP its general partner HighPeak GP, LLC its general partner
By:	/s/ Jack Hightower
Name:	Jack Hightower

Name:	Jack Hightower
Title:	Chief Executive Officer

HIGHPEAK ENERGY PARTNERS II, LP

By:	HighPeak Energy Partners GP II, LP
	its general partner
By:	HighPeak GP II, LLC
	its general partner

By:	/s/ Jack Hightower
Name:	Jack Hightower
Title:	Chief Executive Officer

HIGHPEAK PURE ACQUISITION, LLC

By:	/s/ Jack Hightower
Name:	Jack Hightower
Title:	Chief Executive Officer