#### BATKIN ALAN R

Form 4

February 13, 2007

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* BATKIN ALAN R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

DIAMOND OFFSHORE DRILLING INC [DO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2007

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

15415 KATY FREEWAY, SUITE 100

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HOUSTON, TX 77094

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	) erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/09/2007		M	500	A	\$ 30.12	500	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2007		M	500	A	\$ 29.2	500	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2007		M	500	A	\$ 19.88	500	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2007		M	500	A	\$ 21.66	500	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2007		M	500	A	\$ 19.6	500	D	

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Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 21.23	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 19.08	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 20.56	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 24.31	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 23.65	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 32.78	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 40.12	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 49.68	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 53.6	500	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007	M	500	A	\$ 61.9	500	D

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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. Number	6. Date Exercis	sable and	7. Title and A	Amount of 8
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Derivative	(Month/Day/Y	ear)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities				(
	Derivative				Acquired				
	Security				(A) or				
	•				Disposed				
					of (D)				
					(Instr. 3, 4,				
					and 5)				
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									Amount
						Date	Expiration		or
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number
						LACICISADIC	Date		of
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares
Stock	\$ 30.12	02/09/2007		M	500	04/01/2002	04/01/2007	Common	500
Option	Ψ 30.12	0210712001		171	200	0 1/01/2002	0 1/01/2007	Stock	200

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(right to buy)								
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.2	02/09/2007	M	500	07/01/2002	07/01/2007	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.88	02/09/2007	M	500	10/01/2002	10/01/2007	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.66	02/09/2007	M	500	01/02/2003	01/02/2008	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.6	02/09/2007	M	500	04/01/2003	04/01/2008	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.23	02/09/2007	M	500	07/01/2003	07/01/2008	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.08	02/09/2007	M	500	10/01/2003	10/01/2008	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.56	02/09/2007	M	500	01/02/2004	01/02/2009	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.31	02/09/2007	M	500	04/01/2004	04/01/2009	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.65	02/09/2007	M	500	07/01/2004	07/01/2014	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.78	02/09/2007	M	500	10/01/2004	10/01/2014	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to	\$ 40.12	02/09/2007	M	500	01/03/2005	01/03/2015	Common Stock	500

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buy)								
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.68	02/09/2007	M	500	04/01/2005	04/01/2015	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.6	02/09/2007	M	500	07/01/2005	07/01/2015	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 61.9	02/09/2007	M	500	10/03/2005	10/03/2015	Common Stock	500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BATKIN ALAN R							
15415 KATY FREEWAY	X						
SUITE 100	Λ						
HOUSTON, TX 77094							

# **Signatures**

/s/ William C. Long Attorney-in-Fact for Alan R.

Batkin

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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