

DAWSON GEOPHYSICAL CO
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TOBIAS C RAY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DAWSON GEOPHYSICAL CO
[DWSN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
508 W. WALL SUITE 800
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/04/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President/COO

MIDLAND, TX 79701
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
10/05/2009

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
DWSN-Common Stock, par value \$0.33 1/3 per share	10/04/2009		F	1,125 (1) D \$ 25.99	23,150	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)

Table with 10 columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities, 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, 8. Price of Derivative Security, 9. Number of Derivative Securities. Includes sub-columns for Date Exercisable, Expiration Date, Title, and Amount or Number of Shares.

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships. Entry for TOBIAS C RAY, 508 W. WALL SUITE 800, MIDLAND, TX 79701, Executive Vice President/COO.

Signatures

C. Ray Tobias 10/20/2009
**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).
(1) This amendment is filed to restate the number of shares forfeited by the reporting person for tax withholding purposes on October 4, 2009 and to correct the aggregate amount of securities beneficially owned following this transaction by the reporting person.
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