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(Print or Type Respo	onses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> DICKERSON LAWRENCE R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			DIAMOND OFFSHORE DRILLING INC [DO]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				X Director X Officer (giv		% Owner her (specify	
15415 KATY FREEWAY, SUITE 100			(Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2012				below) below) President and C.E.O.			
				(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)			oint/Group Filing(Check One Reporting Person			
HOUSTON, TX	77094							More than One R		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-D	erivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
	ansaction Date nth/Day/Year)		Date, if	Transaction Code		(A) or of (D)	Securities Beneficially Owned	-	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	(D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amou
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Security (Instr. 3)			any Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr.		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nur of Sha
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 59.19	07/02/2012		А	5,625	04/02/2013(1)	07/02/2022	Common Stock	5,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DICKERSON LAWRENCE R 15415 KATY FREEWAY SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77094	Х		President and C	С.Е.О.			
Signatures							
/s/ William C. Long Attorney-in Dickerson	07/05/2012						

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) The stock appreciation rights vest in four equal annual installments beginning on April 2, 2013.

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