Weatherford International plc Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BUTTERS DAVID J** Issuer Symbol Weatherford International plc [WFT] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 399 PARK AVE., 38TH FLOOR 09/12/2015 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10022 Person

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Securi	ities Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)			•	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
()		(Month/Day/Year) (Instr.		(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A)  or			Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Ordinary Shares	09/12/2015		Code $V$ $F_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 800	(D)	Price \$ 9.68	(Instr. 3 and 4) 351,554	D	
Ordinary Shares							55,088 (2)	I	By spouse

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)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amou Under Securi (Instr.	rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Troporting of the remaining th	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BUTTERS DAVID J 399 PARK AVE., 38TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X						

## **Signatures**

Charity R. Kohl, by Power of Attorney 09/14/2015

\*\*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) Transaction was a withholding of a portion of vested restricted share units to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations upon vesting, pursuant to the award agreement and associated equity incentive plan under which the award was granted.
- (2) Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.

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