

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>GEORGE RICHARD L</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>4 GREENWAY PLAZA</u>  (Street) <u>HOUSTON TX 77046</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>TRANSOCEAN INC [ RIG ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/06/2008</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		M		6,368	A	\$46.33	14,563	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		M		5,094	A	\$55.99	19,657	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		M		5,094	A	\$33.5	24,751	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		M		3,820	A	\$38.2	28,571	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.75	28,371	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		82	D	\$140.72	28,289	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		100	D	\$140.68	28,189	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		400	D	\$140.65	27,789	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		400	D	\$140.64	27,389	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.62	27,189	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		100	D	\$140.6	27,089	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		586	D	\$140.56	26,503	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.54	26,303	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		300	D	\$140.5	26,003	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.48	25,803	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.47	25,603	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		100	D	\$140.46	25,503	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		300	D	\$140.45	25,203	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.44	25,003	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		300	D	\$140.41	24,703	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.4	24,503	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		800	D	\$140.39	23,703	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		400	D	\$140.38	23,303	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		300	D	\$140.36	23,003	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		700	D	\$140.33	22,303	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		100	D	\$140.32	22,203	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		100	D	\$140.89	22,103	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		100	D	\$140.88	22,003	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		100	D	\$140.84	21,903	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		200	D	\$140.79	21,703	D	

**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options	\$46.33	03/06/2008		M			6,368	(1)	07/02/2011	Ordinary Shares	6,368	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options	\$55.99	03/06/2008		M			5,094	(1)	05/13/2012	Ordinary Shares	5,094	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options	\$33.5	03/06/2008		M			5,094	(1)	05/06/2013	Ordinary Shares	5,094	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options	\$38.2	03/06/2008		M			3,820	(1)	06/09/2014	Ordinary Shares	3,820	\$0	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. The options are fully vested and exercisable.

**Remarks:**

This is 1 of 2 Form 4s filed to report March 6, 2008 transactions for the reporting person.

Chipman Earle by Power of Attorney      03/07/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person      Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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).

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