$\square$ 

# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

OMB APPROVAL										
3235-0287										
urden										

	Estimated average burden	
	hours per response:	0.5
L		

Ī

1. Name and Addres	s of Reporting Persor	)* 	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>TRANSOCEAN INC</u> [ RIG ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 4 GREENWAY	(First) PLAZA	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2008	Х	Officer (give title below) Sr. VP, HR and	Other (specify below) IT		
(Street) HOUSTON	ТХ	77046	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	dual or Joint/Group Filing ( Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than (	ing Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person	<b>- -</b> - <b>-</b>		

### 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 Disposed Of	Acquired (D) (Instr	l (A) or . 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		М		3,150	A	\$58.86	13,226	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		100	D	\$139.9	13,126	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		400	D	\$139.89	12,726	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		1,500	D	\$139.88	11,226	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		200	D	\$139.86	11,026	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		100	D	\$139.85	10,926	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		400	D	\$139.84	10,526	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		100	D	\$139.874	10,426	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		350	D	\$139.87	10,076	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		2,500	D	\$139.95	7,576	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		1,600	D	\$139.955	5,976	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/05/2008		S		200	D	\$139.96	5,776	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/06/2008		S		459	D	\$140.92	5,317	D		
Ordinary Shares								<b>308</b> <sup>(2)</sup>	I	401(k) Plan	

 
 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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) ( Disp of (I	osed )) r. 3, 4		Amount of		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	\$58.86	03/05/2008		М			3,150	(1)	02/28/2015	Ordinary Shares	3,150	\$ <mark>0</mark>	1,699	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. The options are fully vested and exercisable.

2. Since her most recent report under Section 16(a), the reporting person acquired two (2) shares under the 401(k) Plan in a non-reportable transaction, which shares are included in the 401(k) Plan end-of-period holdings indicated.

### **Remarks:**

<u>Chipman Earle by Power of</u> <u>Attorney</u>

03/06/2008

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

 $^{\ast}$  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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.