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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u> TALBERT J MICHAEL</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRANSOCEAN INC [RIG]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
				X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4 GREENWAY PLAZA		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2006		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
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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. Transa Code (8)	ction	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 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 (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		, <i>1</i>

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		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				
Deferred Units	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	05/11/2006		Α		1,503		(1)	(1)	Ordinary Shares	1,503	(1)	1,503	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Deferred Units, which are 1-for-1 ordinary share equivalents, acquired on May 11, 2006 pursuant to the issuer's long-term incentive plan. Deferred Units are payable in ordinary shares of the issuer and vest in equal annual installments on May 11, 2007, 2008 and 2009 although the units are not payable until the director leaves the board.

Remarks:

William E. Turcotte by Power

of Attorney

<u>05/15/2006</u>

** 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).

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