

OIL STATES INTERNATIONAL, INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SWANSON DOUGLAS E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 OIL STATES INTERNATIONAL, INC [OIS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 333 CLAY STREET, SUITE 4620
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/09/2006

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 President and CEO

HOUSTON, TX 77002

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 or Price		
Common Stock	05/09/2006		M		11,550 A \$ 13.7	101,728	D
Common Stock	05/09/2006		S		11,550 D \$ 43.23	90,178	D
Common Stock	05/10/2006		M		25,950 A \$ 13.7	116,128	D
Common Stock	05/10/2006		S		25,950 D \$ 42.5	90,178	D
Common Stock	05/10/2006		M		11,750 A \$ 21.08	101,928	D

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Common Stock	05/10/2006	S	11,750	D	\$ 42.5	90,178	D
Common Stock	05/11/2006	M	7,000	A	\$ 21.08	97,178	D
Common Stock	05/11/2006	S	7,000	D	\$ 43.05	90,178	D

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)

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 13.7	05/09/2006		M	11,550	<u>(1)</u>	02/26/2010	Common Stock	11,550
Common Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 13.7	05/10/2006		M	25,950	<u>(1)</u>	02/26/2010	Common Stock	25,950
Common Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 21.08	05/10/2006		M	11,750	<u>(2)</u>	02/24/2011	Common Stock	11,750
Common Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 21.08	05/11/2006		M	7,000	<u>(2)</u>	02/24/2011	Common Stock	7,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SWANSON DOUGLAS E 333 CLAY STREET SUITE 4620 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Robert W. Hampton (Pursuant to Power of Attorney) 05/11/2006

__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) Award of 2/26/2004 that vests in four annual installments beginning 2/26/2005.
 - (2) Award of 2/24/2005 that vests in four annual installments beginning 2/24/2006.

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