

DIAMOND OFFSHORE DRILLING INC

Form 4

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**VECCHIO JOHN M**

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**DIAMOND OFFSHORE  
DRILLING INC [DO]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**15415 KATY FREEWAY, SUITE  
100**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**08/02/2005**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Senior Vice President**

(Street)  
**HOUSTON, TX 77094**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_X\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/02/2005		M		4,500	A	\$ 43.03	4,500	D	
Common Stock	08/02/2005		S		4,500	D	\$ 59	0	D	
Common Stock	08/02/2005		M		1,250	A	\$ 38.94	1,250	D	
Common Stock	08/02/2005		S		1,250	D	\$ 59	0	D	
Common Stock	08/02/2005		M		1,250	A	\$ 33.51	1,250	D	

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Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,250	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,250	A	\$ 24.6	1,250	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,250	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,250	A	\$ 30.53	1,250	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,250	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,406	A	\$ 29.33	1,406	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,406	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,406	A	\$ 29.2	1,406	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,406	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,406	A	\$ 19.88	1,406	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,406	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,406	A	\$ 21.93	1,406	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,406	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 19.78	1,000	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 21.23	1,000	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 19.08	1,000	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 20.77	1,000	D
	08/02/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 59	0	D

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Common  
Stock

Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	500	A	\$ 22.49	500	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 59	0	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	M	500	A	\$ 23.65	500	D
Common Stock	08/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 59	0	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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 43.03	08/02/2005		M	4,500	05/16/2001 <sup>(1)</sup> 05/16/2010	Common Stock 4,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.94	08/02/2005		M	1,250	04/12/2002 <sup>(2)</sup> 04/12/2011	Common Stock 1,250
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.51	08/02/2005		M	1,250	04/12/2002 <sup>(2)</sup> 07/02/2011	Common Stock 1,250
Stock Option	\$ 24.6	08/02/2005		M	1,250	04/12/2002 <sup>(2)</sup> 10/01/2011	Common Stock 1,250

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(right to buy)									
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.53	08/02/2005	M	1,250	04/12/2002 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/02/2012	Common Stock	1,250	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.33	08/02/2005	M	1,406	04/15/2003 <sup>(3)</sup>	04/15/2012	Common Stock	1,406	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.2	08/02/2005	M	1,406	04/15/2003 <sup>(3)</sup>	07/01/2012	Common Stock	1,406	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.88	08/02/2005	M	1,406	04/15/2003 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/01/2012	Common Stock	1,406	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.93	08/02/2005	M	1,406	04/15/2003 <sup>(3)</sup>	12/31/2012	Common Stock	1,406	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.78	08/02/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>	04/22/2013	Common Stock	1,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.23	08/02/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>	07/01/2013	Common Stock	1,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.08	08/02/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>	10/01/2013	Common Stock	1,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.77	08/02/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>	12/31/2013	Common Stock	1,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.49	08/02/2005	M	500	05/18/2005 <sup>(5)</sup>	05/18/2014	Common Stock	500	
Stock Option (right to	\$ 23.65	08/02/2005	M	500	05/18/2005 <sup>(5)</sup>	07/01/2014	Common Stock	500	

buy)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VECCHIO JOHN M 15415 KATY FREEWAY SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77094			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

/s/ William C. Long Attorney-in-Fact for John M. Vecchio	08/03/2005
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\_\_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) The options vested in four equal annual installments on May 16, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004.
- (2) The options vested in four equal annual installments on April 12, 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2005.
- (3) The options vested in three equal annual installments on April 15, 2003, 2004 and 2005.
- (4) The options vested in two equal annual installments on April 22, 2004 and April 22, 2005.
- (5) The options vested on May 18, 2005.

### Remarks:

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