LONG WILLIAM C

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LONG WILLIAM C		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) (Mast) (Last) (First) (Mast) (Mast) (First) (Mast) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/21/2007	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP, General Counsel		
(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							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/21/2007		M	313	A	\$ 19.78	313	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		S	313	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		M	313	A	\$ 21.23	313	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		S	313	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007		M	313	A	\$ 19.08	313	D	

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Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	313	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	313	A	\$ 20.77	313	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	313	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	344	A	\$ 45.77	344	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	344	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	344	A	\$ 61.9	344	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	344	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	344	A	\$ 53.6	344	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	344	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	344	A	\$ 69.38	344	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	344	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	312	A	\$ 22.49	312	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	312	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	312	A	\$ 23.65	312	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2007	S	312	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	312	A	\$ 32.78	312	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	312	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	M	312	A	\$ 39.98	312	D	
Common Stock	05/21/2007	S	312	D	\$ 94.75	0	D	
Common Stock						1,638.5311	I	By 401(k) Plan (1)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	onof		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)	\$ 19.78	05/21/2007		M		313	04/22/2007(2)	04/22/2013	Common Stock	313
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.23	05/21/2007		M		313	04/22/2007(2)	07/01/2013	Common Stock	313
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.08	05/21/2007		M		313	04/22/2007(2)	10/01/2013	Common Stock	313
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.77	05/21/2007		M		313	04/22/2007(2)	12/31/2013	Common Stock	313
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.77	05/21/2007		M		344	04/19/2007(3)	04/19/2015	Common Stock	344
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 61.9	05/21/2007		M		344	04/19/2007(3)	10/03/2015	Common Stock	344
	\$ 53.6	05/21/2007		M		344	04/19/2007(3)	07/01/2015		344

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Stock Option (right to buy)						Common Stock	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 69.38	05/21/2007	M	344 04/19/200	7 <u>(3)</u> 12/31/2015	Common Stock	344
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.49	05/21/2007	M	312 05/18/200	7 <u>(5)</u> 05/18/2014	Common Stock	312
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.65	05/21/2007	M	312 05/18/200	7 <u>⁽⁵⁾</u> 07/01/2014	Common Stock	312
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.78	05/21/2007	M	312 05/18/200	7 <u>⁽⁵⁾</u> 10/01/2014	Common Stock	312
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.98	05/21/2007	M	312 05/18/200	7 <u>(5)</u> 12/31/2014	Common Stock	312

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LONG WILLIAM C 15415 KATY FREEWAY SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77094

Senior VP, General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ William C.

Long 05/22/2007

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- * 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) Based on a plan statement as of May 21, 2007.
- (2) The options vested on April 22, 2007.

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- (3) The options vested on April 19, 2007.
- (4) The options vest in two equal annual installments beginning on April 19, 2008.
- (5) The options vested on May 18, 2007.
- (6) The options vest on May 18, 2008.

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