CAUTHEN GREGORY L

Form 4

January 04, 2006

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CAUTHEN GREGORY L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Street)

TRANSOCEAN INC [RIG]

(Check all applicable)

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(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify

01/03/2006

Sr. VP and CFO

4 GREENWAY PLAZA

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

below)

HOUSTON, TX 77046

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqı	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
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)	Fransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Ordinary Shares	01/03/2006		F(1)	3,255	D	<u>(1)</u>	28,981	D	
Ordinary Shares	01/03/2006		M(2)	8,857	A	\$ 21.2	37,838	D	
Ordinary Shares	01/03/2006		S(2)	8,857	D	\$ 70.06	28,981	D	
Ordinary Shares	01/03/2006		M(2)	19,659	A	\$ 21.2	48,640	D	
Ordinary Shares	01/03/2006		S(2)	19,659	D	\$ 70.06	28,981	D	

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Ordinary Shares			Employee
	808	I	Stock
Shares			Purchase
			Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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By Issuer

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities B) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ivative Expiration Date urities (Month/Day/Year) uired (A) Disposed of tr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 1 3 (
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 21.2	01/03/2006		M(2)		8,857	<u>(3)</u>	07/10/2013	Ordinary Shares	8,857	
Stock Options	\$ 21.2	01/03/2006		M(2)		19,659	<u>(4)</u>	07/10/2013	Ordinary Shares	19,659	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CAUTHEN GREGORY L 4 GREENWAY PLAZA			Sr. VP and CFO				
HOUSTON, TX 77046			or. Vi una ci o				

Signatures

William E. Turcotte by Power of 01/03/2006 Attorney **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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).

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- (1) Shares automatically withheld upon vesting to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
- (2) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 9, 2005.
- (3) Grant of 26,570 options vest as follows: 8,856 on January 1, 2005; 8,857 on January 1, 2006 and 8,857 on January 1, 2007.
- (4) Grant of 58,978 options vest as follows: 19,659 on April 11, 2005, 19,659 on January 1, 2006 and 19,660 on January 1, 2007.

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