

CLENDENING JOHN A
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FORM 4

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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 *
 CLENDENING JOHN A

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 11121 KINGSTON PIKE SUITE E
 (Street)
 KNOXVILLE, TN 37934
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 TENGASCO INC [TGC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/17/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. 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)
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	406,500	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)

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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)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Option Right to Buy	\$ 1.08	03/17/2011		J ⁽¹⁾	1	03/17/2011 03/16/2016	Common Stock	25,000
Option Right to Buy	\$ 0.43	02/08/2010		J ⁽¹⁾	1	02/08/2010 02/07/2015	Common Stock	25,000
Option Right to Buy	\$ 0.7	01/08/2009		J ⁽¹⁾	1	01/08/2009 01/07/2014	Common stock	25,000
Option Right to Buy	\$ 1.44	06/03/2008		J ⁽¹⁾	1	06/03/2008 06/02/2013	Common Stock	25,000
Option Right to Buy	\$ 0.81	12/14/2006		J ⁽¹⁾	1	12/14/2006 12/13/2011	Common stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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 11121 KINGSTON PIKE SUITE E X
 KNOXVILLE, TN 37934

Signatures

s/ John A.
 Clendening 03/21/2011

**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) Grant of option pursuant to the Tengasco Stock Incentive Plan

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