#### Edgar Filing: OIL DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA - Form 4

OIL DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA Form 4 January 24, 2007 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading JAFFEE DANIEL S Issuer Symbol OIL DRI CORPORATION OF (Check all applicable) AMERICA [ODC] \_X\_ Director (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction 10% Owner X\_Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 410 N. MICHIGAN AVE., SUITE 01/23/2007 President and CEO 400 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Filed(Month/Day/Year) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person \_ Form filed by More than One Reporting CHICAGO, IL 60611-4213 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Common  $C^{(1)}$ 01/23/2007 800 \$0 800 Α D Stock Common 01/23/2007 S<sup>(2)</sup> 100 D \$16 700 D Stock Common S<sup>(2)</sup> 01/23/2007 400 D 300 D 16.01 Stock Common S<sup>(2)</sup> D D 01/23/2007 200100Stock 16.07 Common S<sup>(2)</sup> 01/23/2007 100D \$16.1 0 D

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Nur onof Derive Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo (D) (Instr. and 5)	ative ities red sed of 3, 4,	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
Class B Stock	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>	01/23/2007		M <u>(4)</u>	800		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	800
Class B Stock	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>	01/23/2007		C <u>(1)</u>		800	(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	800
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 4.92						10/12/2003	10/12/2011	Class B Common Stock	37,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 9.432						09/23/2005	09/23/2013	Class B Common Stock	15,625
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$9	01/23/2007		M <u>(4)</u>		800	09/18/2000	09/18/2008	Class B Common Stock	800
Class B Stock	\$ 0						(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 9						09/18/2000	09/18/2008	Class B Common Stock	5,314
Class B Stock	\$ 0						(3)	(3)	Common Stock	80,711
	\$ 0						(3)	(3)		278

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Class B Stock				Common Stock	
Class B Stock	\$ 0	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	293
Class B Stock	\$ 0	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	29,717
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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Oth			
JAFFEE DANIEL S 410 N. MICHIGAN AVE. SUITE 400 CHICAGO, IL 60611-4213	Х		President and CEO				
Signatures							
Maryon Gray by Power of Attorney		01/24/2007					
**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).
- (4) Exercise of employee stock options pursuant to the Oil-Dri Corporation of America 1995 Long-Term Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under rule 16b-3.
- (1) Conversion of Class B Stock to Common Stock. Class B Stock may be converted at any time at the option of the holder into Common Stock on a share for share basis. See note 134 to SEC Release 34-288691.
- (3) Class B Stock may be converted at any time at the option of the holder into Common Stock on a share for share basis. See note 134 to SEC Release 34-288691
- (2) Sale, pursuant to a written plan which satisfies the requirements of SEC Rule 10b5-1, of shares obtained through exercise of employee stock options.

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