DIAMOND OFFSHORE DRILLING INC

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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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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 GABRIEL JOHN L Issuer Symbol DIAMOND OFFSHORE (Check all applicable) DRILLING INC [DO] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 15415 KATY FREEWAY, SUITE 06/23/2005 Senior Vice President 100 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting HOUSTON, TX 77094 Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of 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) 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) Code V Amount Price (D) Common 06/23/2005 M 6,000 6,000 D Stock 43.03 Common 06/23/2005 S 6,000 0 D D Stock 56.72 Common 06/23/2005 M 1,875 1,875 D Stock Common S D 06/23/2005 1.875 Stock Common 06/23/2005 M 1,875 1,875 D Stock

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Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,875	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,875	A	\$ 24.6	1,875	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,875	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,875	A	\$ 30.53	1,875	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,875	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,593	A	\$ 29.33	1,593	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,593	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,593	A	\$ 29.2	1,593	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,593	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,593	A	\$ 19.88	1,593	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,593	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,593	A	\$ 21.93	1,593	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,593	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 19.78	1,000	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 21.23	1,000	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 19.08	1,000	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 20.77	1,000	D
	06/23/2005	S	1,000	D		0	D

Common Stock					\$ 56.72		
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	500	A	\$ 22.49	500	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	500	D	\$ 56.72	0	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	M	500	A	\$ 23.65	500	D
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	500	D	\$ 56.72	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed or (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ve Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea	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	06/23/2005		M	6,00	0 05/16/2001(1)	05/16/2010	Common Stock	6,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.94	06/23/2005		M	1,87	5 04/12/2002 <u>(2)</u>	04/12/2011	Common Stock	1,875	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.51	06/23/2005		M	1,87	5 04/12/2002 <u>(2)</u>	07/02/2011	Common Stock	1,875	
Stock Option	\$ 24.6	06/23/2005		M	1,87	5 04/12/2002 <u>(2)</u>	10/01/2011	Common Stock	1,875	

(right to buy)								
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.53	06/23/2005	M	1,875	04/12/2002(2)	01/02/2012	Common Stock	1,875
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.33	06/23/2005	M	1,593	04/15/2003(3)	04/15/2012	Common Stock	1,593
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.2	06/23/2005	M	1,593	04/15/2003(3)	07/01/2012	Common Stock	1,593
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.88	06/23/2005	M	1,593	04/15/2003(3)	10/01/2012	Common Stock	1,593
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.93	06/23/2005	M	1,593	04/15/2003(3)	12/31/2012	Common Stock	1,593
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.78	06/23/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004(4)	04/22/2013	Common Stock	1,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.23	06/23/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004(4)	07/01/2013	Common Stock	1,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.08	06/23/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004(4)	10/01/2013	Common Stock	1,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.77	06/23/2005	M	1,000	04/22/2004(4)	12/31/2013	Common Stock	1,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.49	06/23/2005	M	500	05/18/2005(5)	05/18/2014	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (right to	\$ 23.65	06/23/2005	M	500	05/18/2005(5)	05/18/2014	Common Stock	500

buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GABRIEL JOHN L 15415 KATY FREEWAY SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77094

Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ William C. Long Attorney-in-Fact for John L. Gabriel

06/27/2005

**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:

Form 1 of 2 dated June 27, 2005.

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