

GABRIEL JOHN L  
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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 \*  
GABRIEL JOHN L

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) (Middle)  
15415 KATY FREEWAY, SUITE 100  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
06/11/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Vice President

HOUSTON, TX 77094

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

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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	06/11/2009		M	500	A	\$ 83.44	500	D
Common Stock	06/11/2009		F	455	D	\$ 91.625	45	D
Common Stock	06/11/2009		S	45	D	\$ 91.2	0	D
Common Stock	06/11/2009		M	500	A	\$ 71.87	500	D
Common Stock	06/11/2009		F	392	D	\$ 91.625	108	D

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Common Stock	06/11/2009		S	108	D	\$ 91.2	0		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		M	500	A	\$ 79.77	500		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		F	435	D	\$ 91.625	65		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		S	65	D	\$ 91.2	0		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		M	500	A	\$ 81.42	500		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		F	444	D	\$ 91.625	56		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		S	56	D	\$ 91.2	0		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		M	500	A	\$ 59.19	500		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		F	323	D	\$ 91.625	177		D	
Common Stock	06/11/2009		S	177	D	\$ 92.13	0		D	
Common Stock							1.9918		I	By 401(k) Plan <sup>(1)</sup>

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. 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)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V	(A) (D)				



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