

ZACHARY JOHN L
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 ZACHARY JOHN L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 OCEANEERING
 INTERNATIONAL INC [OII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 11911 FM 539
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/17/2004

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

HOUSTON, TX 77041

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	11/17/2004		M	V	3,000	\$ 24.99	21,450	D
Common Stock	11/17/2004		S		2,600	\$ 37.09	18,850	D
Common Stock	11/17/2004		S		400	\$ 37.12	18,450 ⁽¹⁾	D

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 24.99	11/17/2004		M	3,000	(2) 09/12/2007	Common Stock	3,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ZACHARY JOHN L 11911 FM 539 HOUSTON, TX 77041			Controller	

Signatures

George R. Haubenreich, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact for John L. Zachary
 11/17/2004

__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) Also owns 1,869 shares of Common Stock equivalent in 401(k) plan (Indirect)
- (2) The options vested on March 13, 2003 (1,250), September 13, 2003 (1,250) and 2004 (500)

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