ATWOOD OCEANICS INC

Form 4

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Nordin Evelyn Adele

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

ATWOOD OCEANICS INC [ATW]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

15011 KATY FREEWAY, SUITE

(Street)

800

(Month/Day/Year) X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 11/17/2016

below)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Vice President and Treasurer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

Issuer

HOUSTON, TX 77094

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 8)

Reported Transaction(s)

Following

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and

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(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

	Derivative Security		((or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	11/17/2016		A		18,710		<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Atwood Oceanics Inc. Common Stock
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units	(3)	11/17/2016		A		17,291		03/15/2020	03/15/2020	Atwood Oceanics Inc. Common

Reporting Owners

Price of

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Nordin Evelyn Adele 15011 KATY FREEWAY SUITE 800 HOUSTON, TX 77094

Vice President and Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Evelyn A. Nordin, Walter A. Baker By Power of Attorney

11/21/2016

Stock

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of common stock upon vesting of the unit.
- These shares of common stock were granted as a Restricted Stock Unit Award under the Atwood Oceanics, Inc. 2013

 (2) Long-Term Incentive Plan. The Restricted Stock Units will vest one-third per year over three years in substantially equal installments on each anniversary of the Date of Grant during the three-year period.
- The performance-based restricted stock units vest after a three-year period in an amount ranging from 0-200% of the units awarded based upon company total shareholder return compared with the total shareholder return of a designated peer group for four separate measurement periods during the vesting period. The units provide for payment of all earned shares in common stock following the end of the three-year period.

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