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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addr HARRISON | ress of Reporting Pers | son* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO INC</u> [| 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
|--|------------------------|----------|---|--|---|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 10000 RICHMOND AVENUE | | | NOV] | X | Director Officer (give title | 10% Owner Other (specify | | | |
| | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2007 | | below) | below) | | | |
| (Street) HOUSTON | TX | 77042 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | idual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha | orting Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | Person | , | | | |

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) | Code (| Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Code (Instr. | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--|---|--------|---|--------|---------------|---|---|---|----------|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1130.4) |
| Common Stock | 03/16/2007 | | М | | 7,500 | A | \$19.39 | 9,500 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/16/2007 | | S | | 6,500 | D | \$73.4102 | 3,000 | D | |

 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. Transa Code (8) | | of Deri Sec Acq (A) (Disp of (I | oosed D) tr. 3, 4 | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | unt of Derivative rities Security erlying (Instr. 5) vative Security | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------|--|--------------------|--|--|---|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$19.39 | 03/16/2007 | | М | | | 7,500 | 08/13/2006 | 08/14/2013 | Common Stock | 7,500 | \$0 | 0 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

<u>By: Raymond W. Chang For:</u> <u>David D. Harrison</u>

03/16/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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