FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			
1. Name and Addr	ess of Reporting Pers	son*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO INC NOV]		ationship of Reporting Pe k all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10000 RICHMOND AVENUE (Street) HOUSTON TX 77042		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/05/2006		below)	below)
		77042	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Filir Form filed by One Re Form filed by More tha	porting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person	

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		Table I - Non-Deriv		1	_	l, Di		-		-	laa ii	I
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tra Date (Mont			tion y/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 a			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)		(111501.4)
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		M		4,432	Α	\$22.562	25 15,589	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		M		4,938	A	\$40.5	20,527	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		M		5,000	A	\$18.53	3 25,527	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		M		7,500	A	\$20.14	33,027	D	
Common Stock	ζ.	06/05/2	2006		M		5,000	A	\$28.22	38,027	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		M		2,500	A	\$41.63	40,527	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		100	D	\$67.2	40,427	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		400	D	\$67.26	40,027	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		400	D	\$67.29	39,627	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		100	D	\$67.3	39,527	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		600	D	\$67.31	38,927	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		800	D	\$67.32	38,127	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		700	D	\$67.33	37,427	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		500	D	\$67.39	36,927	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		600	D	\$67.43	36,327	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		200	D	\$67.49	36,127	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		1,800	D	\$67.5	34,327	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		200	D	\$67.51	34,127	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		1,900	D	\$67.52	32,227	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		100	D	\$67.55	32,127	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		800	D	\$67.7	31,327	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		1,900	D	\$67.9	29,427	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		2,200	D	\$67.91	27,227	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		600	D	\$67.92	26,627	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		1,100	D	\$67.93	25,527	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		100	D	\$67.96	5 25,427	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		200	D	\$67.97	25,227	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		300	D	\$67.99	24,927	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		3,170	D	\$68	21,757	D	
Common Stock	ζ	06/05/2	2006		S		400	D	\$68.01	21,357	D	

		Та	able II - Deriva (e.g., p					ired, Disp options, o							
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversio 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.		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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				

Explanation of Responses:

By: Raymond W. Chang For: Ben A. Guill

06/05/2006

** 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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