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Owned by -----
Each (7) Sole Dispositive Power
2,135,804

Reporting (8) Shared Dispositive Power

Person With -0-

(9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
2,135,804

(10) Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares
(See Instructions) []

(11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)
4.03%

(12) Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
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(1) Names of Reporting Persons/I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons
(entities only)
GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL SERVICES, INC., a Delaware corporation
I.R.S. Identification No. 06-11095031

(2) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (a) []
(See Instructions) (b) [X]

(3) SEC Use Only

(4) Citizenship or Place of Organization
Delaware, U.S.A.

Number of
Shares (5) Sole Voting Power
Disclaimed. See Item 9 Below.

Beneficially (6) Shared Voting Power
-0-
Owned by -----
Each (7) Sole Dispositive Power
Disclaimed. See Item 9 Below.

Reporting (8) Shared Dispositive Power

Person With -0-

(9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
Beneficial ownership is disclaimed by General Electric Capital
Services, Inc.

(10) Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares
(See Instructions) []

(11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)
Not applicable. See Item 9 above.

(12) Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
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(1) Names of Reporting Persons/I.R.S. Identification Nos. of Above Persons
(entities only)
GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, a New York corporation
I.R.S. Identification No. 14-0089340

(2) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (a) []
(See Instructions) (b) [X]

(3) SEC Use Only

(4) Citizenship or Place of Organization
New York, U.S.A.

Number of (5) Sole Voting Power
Shares Disclaimed. See Item 9 Below.

Beneficially (6) Shared Voting Power
Owned by -0-

Each (7) Sole Dispositive Power
Disclaimed. See Item 9 Below.

Reporting (8) Shared Dispositive Power

Person With -0-

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(See Instructions) []

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Not applicable. See Item 9 above.

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Item 1(a). Name Of Issuer:

National-Oilwell, Inc.

Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

5555 San Felipe
Houston, Texas 77056

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

This statement is being filed by:

(i) General Electric Capital Corporation, a New York
corporation ("GE Capital");

(ii) General Electric Capital Services, Inc., a Delaware
corporation ("GECS"), which owns all of the outstanding
capital stock of GE Capital; and

(iii) General Electric Company, a New York corporation ("GE"),
which owns all of the outstanding capital stock of GECS.

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office:

(i) GE Capital
260 Long Ridge Road
Stamford, Connecticut 06927

(ii) GECS
260 Long Ridge Road
Stamford, Connecticut 06927

(iii) GE
3135 Easton Turnpike
Fairfield, Connecticut 06431

Item 2(c). Citizenship:

New York, U.S.A.

Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:

Common stock, \$.01 par value (the "Common Stock").

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Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:

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Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rules 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c), check whether filing person is a:

- (a) Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act
- (b) Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act
- (c) Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act
- (d) Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act
- (e) An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E)
- (f) An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F)
- (g) A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(ii)(G)
- (h) A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813)
- (i) A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3)
- (j) Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J)

If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c), check this box.

Item 4. Ownership

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned:

As of December 31, 1998, GE Capital was the beneficial owner of 2,135,804 shares of Common Stock (the "GE Capital Shares"). The GE Capital Shares constitute 4.03% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock based on 52,996,785 shares of Common Stock outstanding. GECS and GE disclaim beneficial ownership in any shares of Common Stock.

(b) Percent of Class:

4.03%

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

(i) sole power to vote or direct the vote: 2,135,804

(ii) shared power to vote or direct the vote: -0-

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(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition
of: 2,135,804

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition
of: -0-

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

If this Schedule is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent on the class of securities, check the following box. [X]

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

Not applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not applicable.

Item 10. Certification.

By signing below, General Electric Capital Corporation certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ Michael A. Gaudino

Name: Michael A. Gaudino
Title: Vice President

Dated: February 12, 1999

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL SERVICES, INC.

By: /s/ Michael A. Gaudino

Name: Michael A. Gaudino
Title: Attorney-in-Fact

Dated: February 12, 1999

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After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

By: /s/ Michael A. Gaudino

Name: Michael A. Gaudino
Title: Attorney-in-Fact

Dated: February 12, 1999

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, General Electric Capital Services, Inc., a Delaware corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") does hereby make, constitute and appoint the persons listed below as the Corporation's true and lawful agent and attorney-in-fact (hereinafter referred to as the "Attorney") to act either together or alone in the name and on behalf of the Corporation for and with respect to the matters hereinafter described.

Name of Attorney: Michael A. Gaudino
J. Gordon Smith
Michael E. Pralle
Paul J. Licursi

Each Attorney shall have the power and authority to do the following:

To execute and deliver any Schedule 13D, Schedule 13G or Forms 3, 4 and 5 or any amendments thereto required to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 on behalf of the Corporation with regard to any securities owned by the Corporation, General Electric Capital Corporation or any of their subsidiaries.

And, in connection with the foregoing, to execute and deliver all documents, acknowledgments, consents and other agreements and to take such further action as may be necessary or convenient for the Corporation in order to more effectively carry out the intent and purpose of the foregoing.

Agreements, commitments, documents, instruments, and other writings executed by the Attorney in accordance with the terms hereof shall be binding upon the Corporation without attestation and without affixation of the seal of the Corporation. The Power of Attorney conferred hereby shall not be delegable by any Attorney. The Attorney shall serve without compensation for acting in the capacity of agent and attorney-in-fact hereunder.

Unless revoked by the Corporation, this Power of Attorney shall be governed under the laws of the State of New York and the authority of the Attorney hereunder shall terminate on March 31, 2000.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed, attested and its corporate seal to be affixed pursuant to authority granted by the Corporation's board of directors, as of the 30th day of April, 1998.

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL SERVICES, INC.

(Corporate Seal)

By: /s/ Nancy E. Barton

Nancy E. Barton, Senior Vice President

Attest:

/s/ Brian T. McAnaney

Brian T. McAnaney, Assistant Secretary

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, General Electric Company, a New York corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") does hereby make, constitute and appoint the persons listed below as the Corporation's true and lawful agent and attorney-in-fact (hereinafter referred to as the "Attorney") to act either together or alone in the name and on behalf of the Corporation for and with respect to the matters hereinafter described.

Name of Attorney: Joan C. Amble
Nancy E. Barton
Jeffrey S. Werner
Michael A. Gaudino
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GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

(Corporate Seal)

By: /s/ Philip D. Ameen

Philip D. Ameen, Vice President

Attest:

/s/ Robert E. Healing

Robert E. Healing, Attesting Secretary