

NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO INC
Form 4
March 14, 2005

FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PHEASEY FREDERICK W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO INC [NOI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/11/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Director and EVP

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/11/2005 | | M | 14,774 A \$ 22.5625 | 99,959 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/11/2005 | | M | 12,345 A \$ 40.5 | 112,304 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/11/2005 | | M | 5,000 A \$ 18.53 | 117,304 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/11/2005 | | M | 5,000 A \$ 20.14 | 122,304 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/11/2005 | | S | 37,119 D \$ 48.48 | 85,185 | D | |

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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) | 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) | | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------|-----------------|-------|----------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Am or Num of S |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 18.53 | 03/11/2005 | | M | 5,000 | 01/30/2005 | 01/31/2012 | Common Stock | 5, | | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 20.14 | 03/11/2005 | | M | 5,000 | 02/14/2005 | 02/15/2013 | Common Stock | 5, | | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 22.5625 | 03/11/2005 | | M | 14,774 | 02/22/2003 | 02/23/2010 | Common Stock | 14 | | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 40.5 | 03/11/2005 | | M | 12,345 | 02/14/2004 | 02/15/2011 | Common Stock | 12 | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PHEASEY FREDERICK W | X | | Director and EVP | |

Signatures

By: M. Gay Mather For: Frederick W. Pheasey
03/14/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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