FORM 3

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Palau Hernandez Margarita	2. Date of E Requiring S (Month/Day 03/25/202	statement /Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ [ OXY ]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)  OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM  CORPORATION  5 GREENWAY PLAZA, STE. 110  (Street)  HOUSTON TX 77046	,		4. Relationship of Reportin Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director  Officer (give title below)	10% C	Owner 6 (specify (	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)	-						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. I)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
No Securities Beneficially Owned			0	D			
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)							
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable at Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ate	Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Conv		Conversion or Exercise	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

### Remarks:

Exhibit List Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

Jenarae N. Garland, Attorney-in-Fact for Margarita Palau

03/30/2020

<u>Hernandez</u>

\*\* 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 5 (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).

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### **POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Nicole E. Clark and Jenarae N. Garland, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- 1. Execute for and on behalf of the undersigned a Form ID (including amendments thereto), or any other forms prescribed by the Securities and Exchange Comission (the "SEC"), that may be necessary to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC or the forms referenced in clause 2 below;
- 2. Execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Occidental Petroleum Corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder; and
- 3. Do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 and 5 and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority.

The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

In the event that any one of the attorneys-in-fact referenced herein ceases to hold the office of Corporate Secretary, Assistant Corporate Secretary or Assistant Secretary, this Power of Attorney will be without force or effect regarding that attorney-in-fact but will remain in full force and effect with regard to the remaining attorney-in-fact as long such attorney-in-fact is empowered as Corporate Secretary, Assistant Corporate Secretary or Assistant Secretary by the Company.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this March 26, 2020.

/s/ Margarita Paláu-Hernández

Margarita Paláu-Hernández