FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* IRANI RAY R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ OXY]								5. Relationship of Repor (Check all applicable) X Director			10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP 10889 WILSHIRE BLVD					10/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/27/2003									X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO					
(Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90024 (City) (State) (Zip)					- 4. If -	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	/ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quirec	l, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	cially	y Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			Transaction		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		Form	: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	•	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			10/27/	2003	003			S ⁽¹⁾		100	D	\$36	.68	1,37	0,906		D		
Common Stock 10/27/2						003			S ⁽¹⁾		5,900	D	\$36	.64	4 1,365,006			D		
Common Stock															130,000		I		by limited partnership	
Common Stock															6,000		I		by Irani family foundation	
	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	Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		rative rities ired r osed) : 3, 4	6. Date Expirat (Month)	ion Da /Day/Y		Amount of Securities S		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity ecurity enstr. 5) Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)		e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					

Explanation of Responses:

1. The transactions were made pursuant to a pre-arranged trading plan, entered into on November 26, 2002, by Dr. Ray R. Irani, and a trust for which Dr. Irani acts as trustee, providing for the sale of shares of Occidental's common stock over a designated period in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act.

/s/ CHRISTEL H. PAULI,

Attorney-in-Fact for Ray R.

10/28/2003

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Signature of Reporting Fers

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).
- ** 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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