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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* <u>CHAZEN STEPHEN I</u>					00	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ OXY								(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title) Other (spec				mer
(Last) (First) (Middle) OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION 10889 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD				07/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/13/2005 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Senior EVP and CFO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90024 (City) (State) (Zip)					4.11	4. II Amendinent, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line)						
(City)			ble I - Non	-Deriv	/ative	e Se	curities	Aco	uired.	Dis	posed o	f. or Bo	enefi	cially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date						3. 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, Code (Instr. 8)			or 5. Amoun		ly	Form:	Direct I Indirect I tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
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Common Stock 07/13				3/2005		A ⁽¹⁾		100,000 A		1	\$ <mark>0</mark>	741,	741,617		D				
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Stock appreciation	\$81.61	07/13/2005			A		400,000		(2)		07/13/2005	Common	40	0,000	\$0	400,0	00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Grant of restricted stock units, which may be settled only in common stock on a one-for-one basis, under the Occidental Petroleum Corporation 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan.
- 2. The stock appreciation right vests in three equal annual installments beginning on July 13, 2006.

/s/ CHRISTEL H. PAULI,

Attorney-in-Fact for Stephen I. 07/15/2005

Chazen

** 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).
- ** 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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