

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DE BRIER DONALD P</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION</u> <u>10889 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD</u>  (Street) <u>LOS ANGELES CA 90024</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ [ OXY ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>EVP, Gen. Counsel &amp; Secretary</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>11/11/2010</u>	
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	11/11/2010		M		50,000	A	\$40.805	722,016	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		F		36,074	D	\$85.43	685,942	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		S		13,926	D	\$85.4449 <sup>(1)</sup>	672,016	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		M		50,000	A	\$40.805	722,016	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		F		36,086	D	\$85.35	685,930	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		S		13,914	D	\$85.3123 <sup>(2)</sup>	672,016	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		M		80,000	A	\$40.805	752,016	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		F		57,048	D	\$88.34	694,968	D	
Common Stock	11/11/2010		S		22,952	D	\$88.257 <sup>(3)</sup>	672,016	D	
Common Stock	11/12/2010		M		100,000	A	\$40.805	772,016	D	
Common Stock	11/12/2010		F		71,546	D	\$87.5	700,470	D	
Common Stock	11/12/2010		S		28,454	D	\$87.6403 <sup>(4)</sup>	672,016	D	

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Stock appreciation right	\$40.805	11/11/2010		M			50,000	(5)	07/13/2015	Common Stock	50,000	\$0	230,000	D	
Stock appreciation right	\$40.805	11/11/2010		M			50,000	(5)	07/13/2015	Common Stock	50,000	\$0	180,000	D	
Stock appreciation right	\$40.805	11/11/2010		M			80,000	(5)	07/13/2015	Common Stock	80,000	\$0	100,000	D	
Stock appreciation right	\$40.805	11/12/2010		M			100,000	(5)	07/13/2015	Common Stock	100,000	\$0	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$85.44 to \$85.48, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Occidental Petroleum Corporation, any security holder of Occidental Petroleum Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1), (2), (3) and (4) to this Form 4.
- The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$85.29 to \$85.344, inclusive.
- The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$88.17 to \$88.38, inclusive.
- The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$87.60 to \$87.77, inclusive.
- The stock appreciation right vested in three equal annual installments beginning on July 13, 2006.

/s/ CHRISTEL H. PAULI,

11/15/2010

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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