FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES I	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* MALONEY IRVIN W					00	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ [OXY]										all app	ll applicable) Director		Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
	(Last) (First) (Middle) OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION 10889 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2008										Office	er (give title v)		Other below)	(specify	
(Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90024 (City) (State) (Zip)				_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tabl	e I - Non	ı-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or	Bene	ficia	ally C	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Exec Day/Year) if an		A. Deemed xecution Date, any //onth/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			nd	Securities F Beneficially (Form: (D) or	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		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				, ,
Common Stock 05/05				5/2008				A ⁽¹⁾		5,000)	A	\$0		64,767(2)			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. Deems Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)			ative rities ired osed	6. Date E: Expiration (Month/D: Date Exercisal	n Date ay/Yea)	Amo Seci Und Deri	Amo or Nun of	ount	8. Pri Deriv Secui (Instr	ative rity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Or Fo Di or (I)). wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect ((Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Award of restricted stock under Occidental Petroleum Corporation's 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- 2. Includes 818 shares acquired between July 2007 and April 2008 under the Occidental Petroleum Corporation Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

/s/ CHRISTEL H. PAULI, Attorney-in-Fact for Irvin

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/07/2008

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).
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