FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     LIENERT JAMES M						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ [ OXY ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director			10%	Ssuer Owner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle)  OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION  10889 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2010									X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP, Finance and Planning				
(Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90024 (City) (State) (Zip)						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					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar)   i	Executio f any	A. Deemed kecution Date, any lonth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securion Disposed 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secui Bene		ially Following	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	. [-	Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)		(1113111 4)					
Common Sto	0/2010	)			A <sup>(1)</sup>		6,674	4	Α	\$	\$0 1		0,425	D						
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Security or I (Instr. 3) Pric	ative Conversion Date Execution rity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration (Month/Da	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. : and 4)  Amount or Number Title Shares			ative rity . 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Acquisition of common stock pursuant to the vesting of a performance stock award under the Occidental Petroleum Corporation 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

/s/ CHRISTEL H. PAULI,

Attorney-in-Fact for James M. 02/12/2010

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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