FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MORGAN JOHN W (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/ [OXY] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2005										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) below) Executive Vice President					wner
10889 WILSHIRE BLVD (Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90024 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applical Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da							2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		<u>,</u>	3. 4. Se Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)		4. Securi	urities Acquired (A) sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			or 5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned		nt of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Ī	Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	⊤	Reporte Transact Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 02/23/2							005			M		3,741	3,741 A		\$26.	75	273,314			D	
Common	Stock	3/2005	2005				M		3,782		A	\$26.	43	277,096		D					
Common	Stock												400			I	by wife				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	ed Date,	4. Transactio Code (Insti		5. Number of				ercisa Date	able and 7. An Se Un De		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Deri Seci	. Price of Perivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	is Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat	te ercisab		xpiration ate	Title		Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee stock option (right to buy)	\$26.75	02/23/2005			M			3,741		(1)	0	7/11/2011		nmon ock	3,741		\$0	176,25	9	D	
Employee stock option (right to	\$26.43	02/23/2005			M			3,782		(2)	0	7/17/2012		nmon ock	3,782		\$0	103,718	8	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vested in three equal annual installments beginning on July $11,\,2002$.
- 2. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on July 17, 2003.

/s/ CHRISTEL H. PAULI, Attorney in Fact for John W.

02/24/2005

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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.

- * 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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