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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
1. Name and Ac BOLTON JC	Person <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol			r Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
	DIAMOND OFFSHORE DRILLING INC [DO]					3	(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				
				(Month/Day/Year) Officer (give 04/01/2011			below)	or (speeny			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - Non-	-Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	2. Transaction Date Month/Day/Year)	Execution any				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount		(Instr. 3 and 4)				
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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	` • ·		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 78.9	04/01/2011		А	500	04/01/2011	04/01/2021	Common Stock	500

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationsh					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BOLTON JOHN R 15415 KATY FREEWAY SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77094	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ William C. Long Attorney-i Bolton		04/04/2011					
**Signature of Reportin			Date				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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