### JAFFEE DANIEL S

Form 4

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## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading JAFFEE DANIEL S Issuer Symbol OIL DRI CORP OF AMERICA (Check all applicable) [ODC] (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 410 N. MICHIGAN AVE., SUITE 02/06/2008 President and CEO 400 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting CHICAGO, IL 60611-4213 Person

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Tabl	$\label{lem:convergence} I-Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Overland Convergence (Convergence of Convergence (Convergence of Convergence of Convergence of Convergence of Convergence of Convergence (Convergence of Convergence o$								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
			(A) or Code V Amount (D) Pri			Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	02/06/2008		C(1)	2,900	A	\$ 0 (2)	2,900	D			
Common Stock	02/06/2008		S(3)	100	D	\$ 17.88	2,800	D			
Common Stock	02/06/2008		S	100	D	\$ 18.07	2,700	D			
Common Stock	02/06/2008		S	200	D	\$ 18.08	2,500	D			
Common Stock	02/06/2008		S	100	D	\$ 18.2	2,400	D			

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Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	100	D	\$ 18.22	2,300	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	300	D	\$ 18.23	2,000	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	100	D	\$ 18.24	1,900	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	300	D	\$ 18.25	1,600	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	200	D	\$ 18.34	1,400	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	100	D	\$ 18.35	1,300	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	200	D	\$ 18.36	1,100	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	500	D	\$ 18.37	600	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	200	D	\$ 18.38	400	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	100	D	\$ 18.4	300	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	100	D	\$ 18.41	200	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	100	D	\$ 18.42	100	D
Common Stock	02/06/2008	S	100	D	\$ 18.43	0	D

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

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$ 

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	tion )	5. Number of ionDerivative 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code '	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number

								of Share
\$ 0 (2)	02/06/2008	M(4)	2,900		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,900
\$ 0 (2)	02/06/2008	C(1)		2,900	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,900
\$ 4.92					10/12/2003	10/12/2011	Class B Common Stock	37,500
\$ 9.432					09/23/2005	09/23/2013	Class B Common Stock	15,625
\$ 9	02/06/2008	M(4)		2,900	09/18/2000	09/18/2008	Class B Common Stock	2,900
\$ 0					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2
\$ 0					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	80,71
\$ 0					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	278
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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JAFFEE DANIEL S 410 N. MICHIGAN AVE. SUITE 400 CHICAGO, IL 60611-4213	X		President and CEO			

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### **Signatures**

Maryon Gray by Power of Attorney

02/08/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (4) Exercise of employee stock options pursuant to the Oil-Dri Corporation of America 1995 Long-Term Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under rule 16b-3.
- (1) Conversion of Class B Stock to Common Stock. Class B Stock may be converted at any time at the option of the holder into Common Stock on a share for share basis. See note 134 to SEC Release 34-288691.
- (2) Class B Stock may be converted at any time at the option of the holder into Common Stock on a share for share basis. See note 134 to SEC Release 34-288691
- (3) All sales reported on this Form 4 are pursuant to a written plan which satisfies the requirements of SEC rule 10b5-1 for shares obtained through exercise of employee stock options.

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