### OMALLEY WILLIAM C

Form 4 May 02, 2007

# FORM 4

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

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OMALLEY WILLIAM C |   |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                                |  |  |  |
|---|---|----------|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |          | TIDEWATER INC [TDW]                                | (Check all applicable)  |  |  |  |
| (Last)  | (First)   | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                    |   |  |  |  |
|   |   |          | (Month/Day/Year)                                   | X Director 10% Owner  |  |  |  |
| C/O TIDEWATER, INC., 601                                    |   |          | 04/30/2007   | Officer (give titleOther (specify   |  |  |  |
| POYDRAS ST., SUITE 1900                                     |   |          |  | below) below)   |  |  |  |
|   | (Street)  |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check                                       |  |  |  |
|   |   |          | Filed(Month/Day/Year)                              | Applicable Line)  |  |  |  |
| NEW ORLEANS LA 70130  |   |          |  | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting |  |  |  |
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Table I. Non Danivative Securities Acquired Disposed of an Papaficially Owned

#### NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

(State)

(City)

(Zip)

| (City)                               | (State) (   | Table | e I - Non-D   | erivative | Secur | ities Acqu  | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|-------|---|-----------|-------|-------------|--|--|----------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) |       | 3. 4. Securities Acq<br>Transaction(A) or Disposed<br>Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5<br>(Instr. 8) |           |       | d of (D)    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership 7. Nature Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficia Indirect (I) Ownersh (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) |          |
|                                      |   |       | Code V  | Amount    | or    | Price       | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)  |  |          |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 04/30/2007  |       | S   | 500       | D     | \$<br>63.08 | 378,236 <u>(1)</u>   | D  |          |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 04/30/2007  |       | S   | 800       | D     | \$<br>63.09 | 377,436  | D  |          |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 04/30/2007  |       | S   | 200       | D     | \$ 63.1     | 377,236  | D  |          |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 04/30/2007  |       | S   | 600       | D     | \$<br>63.11 | 376,636  | D  |          |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 04/30/2007  |       | S   | 500       | D     | \$<br>63.19 | 376,136  | D  |          |

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| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$<br>63.22 | 375,936 | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|-----|---|-------------|---------|---|
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 600 | D | \$<br>63.26 | 375,336 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 500 | D | \$<br>63.39 | 374,836 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 400 | D | \$<br>63.45 | 374,436 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 700 | D | \$<br>63.46 | 373,736 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 500 | D | \$<br>63.47 | 373,236 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$<br>63.51 | 372,936 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 900 | D | \$<br>63.53 | 372,036 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$<br>63.54 | 371,936 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$<br>63.57 | 371,736 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$<br>63.58 | 371,436 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$<br>63.63 | 371,336 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$<br>63.64 | 371,136 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$ 63.7     | 370,936 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$<br>63.73 | 370,636 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$<br>63.74 | 370,436 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$<br>63.75 | 370,336 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$<br>63.76 | 370,236 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$<br>63.77 | 370,036 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 500 | D | \$<br>63.81 | 369,536 | D |
|                 | 04/30/2007 | S | 200 | D |             | 369,336 | D |

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| Common<br>Stock |            |   |     |   | \$<br>63.82 |                    |   |
|-----------------|------------|---|-----|---|-------------|--------------------|---|
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 400 | D | \$<br>63.83 | 368,936            | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$<br>63.84 | 368,636            | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 400 | D | \$<br>63.85 | 368,236            | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 04/30/2007 | S | 400 | D | \$<br>63.86 | 367,836 <u>(2)</u> | D |

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.          | 5.         | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Title  | and      | 8. Price of | 9. Nu   |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|---------|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transaction | orNumber   | Expiration D | ate         | Amoun     | t of     | Derivative  | Deriv   |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code        | of         | (Month/Day   | /Year)      | Underly   | ying     | Security    | Secui   |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8)  | Derivativ  | e`           |             | Securiti  | ies      | (Instr. 5)  | Bene    |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    | ,           | Securities | •            |             | (Instr. 3 | 3 and 4) |             | Owne    |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |             | Acquired   |              |             |           | ,        |             | Follo   |
|             | 2000        |                     |                    |             | (A) or     |              |             |           |          |             | Repo    |
|             |             |                     |                    |             | Disposed   |              |             |           |          |             | Trans   |
|             |             |                     |                    |             | of (D)     |              |             |           |          |             | (Instr  |
|             |             |                     |                    |             | (Instr. 3, |              |             |           |          |             | (IIIsti |
|             |             |                     |                    |             | 4, and 5)  |              |             |           |          |             |         |
|             |             |                     |                    |             | 1, 4114 5) |              |             |           |          |             |         |
|             |             |                     |                    |             |            |              |             | I         | Amount   |             |         |
|             |             |                     |                    |             |            | D-4-         | F           | C         | or       |             |         |
|             |             |                     |                    |             |            | Date         | Expiration  | Title 1   | Number   |             |         |
|             |             |                     |                    |             |            | Exercisable  | Date        | (         | of       |             |         |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V      | (A) (D)    |              |             | 5         | Shares   |             |         |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| . 9  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| OMALLEY WILLIAM C<br>C/O TIDEWATER, INC.<br>601 POYDRAS ST., SUITE 1900<br>NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

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## **Signatures**

William C. O'Malley, By: Margaret F. Murphy, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact

05/02/2007

\*\*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).
- Prior to the reported transactions, the Reporting Person held 378,736 shares of common stock directly. The total direct holdings reflected in the Reporting Person's three prior Forms 4 reporting Table 1 holdings incorrectly included 78,300 shares that were sold on February 2, 2004, which sales were properly reported on two Forms 4 filed February 3, 2004.
- (2) Continued on next Form 4.

#### **Remarks:**

1 of 3 Forms 4 filed on May 2, 2007 to report transactions occurring on April 30, 2007. See other Forms 4 for the remainder of Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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