

MELCHER PATRICIA B

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MELCHER PATRICIA B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES INC /LA [HOS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

103 NORTH PARK BOULEVARD, SUITE 300

12/10/2012

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

COVINGTON, LA 70433

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
COMMON STOCK	12/10/2012		M	567 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 11.2	37,938	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/10/2012		S	567 ⁽¹⁾ D \$ 36.068	37,371	D	
COMMON STOCK					1,000	I	By IRA

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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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	\$ 11.2	12/10/2012		M	567	<u>(2)</u> 03/13/2013	COMMON STOCK	567

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MELCHER PATRICIA B 103 NORTH PARK BOULEVARD, SUITE 300 COVINGTON, LA 70433	X			

Signatures

/s/ Paul M. Ordogne, as poa for Patricia B Melcher 12/12/2012

**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).

(1) Represents a broker-assisted exercise and sale of an employee stock option award granted to the reporting person for service as a non-employee director of the Company on March 13, 2003 that would expire on March 13, 2013.

(2) The option provides for vesting in three equal annual installments on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd anniversaries of the March 13, 2003 Grant Date.

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