

ATWOOD OCEANICS INC
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Campbell Michael Alan
(Last) (First) (Middle)

15835 PARK TEN PLACE
DRIVE

(Street)

HOUSTON,Â TXÂ 77084

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
01/01/2009

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ATWOOD OCEANICS INC [ATW]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer _X_ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Vice President / Controller

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

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Common Stock

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

17,097

3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

D Â

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)
Title

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | Amount or Number of Shares | | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|----------------------------|---|
| Nonqualified Stock Options | Â (1) | 12/02/2014 | Common Stock | 3,000 | \$ 12.31 | D | Â |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | Â (1) | 12/01/2015 | Common Stock | 3,100 | \$ 18.58 | D | Â |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | Â (1) | 12/07/2016 | Common Stock | 2,400 | \$ 24.99 | D | Â |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | Â (2) | 12/06/2017 | Common Stock | 4,328 | \$ 44.75 | D | Â |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | Â (2) | 12/04/2018 | Common Stock | 4,600 | \$ 14.65 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------|------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Campbell Michael Alan 15835 PARK TEN PLACE DRIVE HOUSTON, TX 77084 | Â | Â | Â Vice President | Controller |

Signatures

Michael Alan
Campbell

01/05/2009

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) These options were granted for a term of ten (10) years (pursuant to Atwood Oceanics, Inc. 2001 Plan), with twenty-five (25%) of such options becoming exercisable at each of one (1) year, two (2) years, three (3) years and four (4) years respectively, from the date of grant.
- (2) These options were granted for a term of ten (10) years (pursuant to Atwood Oceanics, Inc. 2007 Plan), with twenty-five (25%) of such options becoming exercisable at each of one (1) year, two (2) years, three (3) years and four (4) years respectively, from the date of grant.

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