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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

LONG ROBERT L			Symbol Transoce	Symbol Transocean Ltd. [RIG]				Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)X Direct					Check all applicable) r 10% Owner			
BUILDING F, 7TH FLOOR, CHEMIN DE BLANDONNET 2				07/21/2009				_X_ Officer (gi	ner (specify			
	(Street)			4. 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			
VERNIER, V8 1214								Person	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	Year) Execu	Deemed ation Date, if th/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquirect Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or (A) or (A) or)	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)		
Registered Shares	07/21/2009			F	4,811	D	<u>(1)</u>	146,101 (2)	D			
Registered Shares								5,007 (3)	I	By Issuer Employee Stock Purchase Plan		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.												

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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 Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	of	Derivative	Deriv
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LONG ROBERT L							
BUILDING F, 7TH FLOOR	X		CEO				
CHEMIN DE BLANDONNET 2	Λ		CEO				
VERNIER, V8 1214							

Signatures

Margaret C. Fitzgerald by Power of 07/23/2009 Attorney

> **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) Shares automatically withheld upon vesting to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
 - On December 19, 2008, Transocean Ltd., a Swiss corporation, became the successor of Transocean Inc., a Cayman Islands company, pursuant to a merger by way of schemes of arrangement under Cayman Islands law (the "Transaction") in which each holder of
- Transocean Inc. ordinary shares outstanding immediately prior to the Transaction received one registered share of Transocean Ltd. in exchange for each outstanding ordinary share of Transocean Inc. The Transaction had the effect of changing the place of incorporation of Transocean's group holding company from the Cayman Islands to Switzerland but did not alter the proportionate interests of security holders.
- Shares owned under the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Includes 172 shares acquired under the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan since the prior filing on July 21, 2008, the last time a Table I transaction was reported.

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