

HANOVER COMPRESSOR CO /  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
SCHLUMBERGER LTD /NV/

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HANOVER COMPRESSOR CO / [HC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
153 EAST 53 STREET 57TH FLOOR  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/20/2005

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

NEW YORK, NY 10022-4624

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	07/20/2005		S	500 D \$ 12.6	6,910,731	I	By STC <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	07/20/2005		S	200 D \$ 12.61	6,910,531	I	By STC <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	07/20/2005		S	5,200 D \$ 12.62	6,905,331	I	By STC <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	07/20/2005		S	400 D \$ 12.63	6,904,931	I	By STC <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	07/20/2005		S	500 D \$ 12.64	6,904,431	I	By STC <u>(1)</u>

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Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	5,800	D	\$ 12.65	6,898,631	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	2,400	D	\$ 12.66	6,896,231	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	9,500	D	\$ 12.67	6,886,731	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 12.68	6,885,731	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	7,300	D	\$ 12.69	6,878,431	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	6,700	D	\$ 12.7	6,871,731	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	4,900	D	\$ 12.71	6,866,831	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	07/20/2005	S	900	D	\$ 12.72	6,865,931	I	By <u>STC</u> <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock						1,430,304	I	By <u>SS S.A.</u> <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock						366,158	I	By <u>SOHL</u> <sup>(3)</sup>

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 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHLUMBERGER LTD /NV/ 153 EAST 53 STREET 57TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022-4624		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Ellen Summer, Schlumberger  
Limited 07/21/2005

\_\_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) Schlumberger Technology Corporation, a 100 percent wholly-owned subsidiary.
- (2) Schlumberger Serenco S.A., a 100 percent wholly-owned indirect subsidiary.
- (3) Schlumberger Oilfield Holdings Ltd., a 100 percent wholly-owned indirect subsidiary.

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