

Deeming Nicholas  
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 \*  
Deeming Nicholas

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
10 CHEMIN DE BLANDONNET  
(Street)

VERNIER, V8 1214

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Transocean Ltd. [RIG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/10/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SrVP, Gen Cnsl & Asst Corp Sec

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

**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Registered Shares	02/10/2012		M		2,219	A	\$ 0 (1)
Registered Shares	02/10/2012		F(2)		938	D	\$ 0 (2)

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/10/2012		M	2,219	02/10/2012 <sup>(1)</sup>	Registered Shares	2,219

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Deeming Nicholas 10 CHEMIN DE BLANDONNET VERNIER, V8 1214			SrVP, Gen Cnsl & Asst Corp Sec	

## Signatures

Eric J. Christ by Power of Attorney 02/13/2012

<sup>(1)</sup>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) Deferred Units, which are 1-for-1 share equivalents, were acquired on February 10, 2011, pursuant to the Issuer's long-term incentive plan. One-third of such deferred units vested on February 10, 2012, resulting in delivery of registered shares to the reporting person.
- (2) Shares automatically withheld upon vesting to satisfy tax withholding obligations.

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