

OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP /DE/

Form 4

September 02, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DE BRIER DONALD P

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM
CORP /DE/ [OXY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM
CORP, 10889 WILSHIRE
BOULEVARD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/31/2005

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Gen. Counsel & Secretary

(Street)
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

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
Person

(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 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)
Common Stock	08/31/2005		M	50,000 A	\$ 26.75	465,744	D
Common Stock	08/31/2005		S	50,000 D	\$ 83	415,744	D

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee stock option (right to buy)	\$ 26.75	08/31/2005		M	50,000	<u>(1)</u> 07/11/2011	Common Stock 50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
DE BRIER DONALD P OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORP 10889 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD LOS ANGELES, CA 90024	EVP, Gen. Counsel & Secretary

Signatures

/s/ CHRISTEL H. PAULI, Attorney-in-Fact for Donald P. de Brier

09/01/2005

__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) The option vested in three equal annual installments beginning on July 11, 2002.

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