TIDEWATER INC Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MADONNA JON C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TIDEWATER INC [TDW]

(First) (Middle) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

C/O TIDEWATER INC., 601 POYDRAS ST., SUITE 1500 (Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2013

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Applicable Line)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

Issuer

below)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

7. Nature of 6. Ownership Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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(A) Transaction(s) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

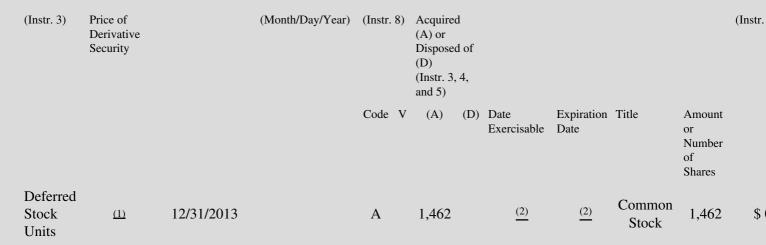
1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number

Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise any Code

6. Date Exercisable and Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securities

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price **Underlying Securities** Deriva (Instr. 3 and 4) Securi

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

X

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MADONNA JON C C/O TIDEWATER INC. 601 POYDRAS ST., SUITE 1500 NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

Signatures

Bruce D. Lundstrom, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact for Jon Madonna

01/03/2014

**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) Each deferred stock unit represents the right to receive the fair market value of one share of the Issuer's common stock in cash.
- (2) The deferred stock units vest immediately upon grant but will be paid out according to the Reporting Person's deferral election.
- (3) Includes 199 units acquired through reinvestment of dividend equivalents since the Reporting Person's last Form 4.

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