## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Responses	s)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Schroeder Stephen L					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol W&T OFFSHORE INC [WTI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O W&T OFFSHORE, INC., NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/19/2008						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chief Operating Officer					
(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77046				4. I	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)					Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu							ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y	ear) Exec		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of ( (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			D) Beneficially Ow Reported Transa		Following	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
				(Mo	nth/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amoun	(A) or t (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	and 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 05/		05/19/2008			S		15,000	D	\$ 52.48	74,785			D			
			Table				ed, D	isposed	of, or Be	neficia	lly Owned	OMB conf	trol numbe	r.		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/	3A. Dee Execution	(e.g., med on Date, if	f Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	arrants, op 5.	(Month/Day/Ye curities quired por sposed			7. 7 Am Und Sec		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct (1 or Indire	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable		Expirati Date	on Titl	Amount or Number of			(1131)		
Repor	ting O	wners			Code V	(A) (D)					Shares					
					Relationships											
Reporting Owner Name / Address Dire				Director	tor Owner Officer					Other						

Chief Operating Officer

### **Signatures**

Schroeder Stephen L

HOUSTON, TX 77046

C/O W&T OFFSHORE, INC.

NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300

Elaine H. Tippitt, Attorney-in-fact	05/20/2008
**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).

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