# FORM 4

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

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Vazquez Jamie 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)  Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2009							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President					
(Street)				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						
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1.Title of Security 2. Tr (Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if		e, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			tion 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		uired of (D)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial		
				(Mont)	th/Day/Y	(ear)		ode	v	Amour	(A) or (D)	Price	or Indirect (Instr.		Ownership (Instr. 4)		
COMMON STOCK 12/15/2009		12/15/2009				F		3,647	D S	\$ 11.39	93,973 (1)			D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/	n 3A. Deemed Execution Da	te, if T	l. Γransacti Code	ion 1 ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) (	5. Numb of	ative ities ired rosed )	6. Da	conver ate Exer Expirationth/Day	on Date	7. Ti Amo Undo Secu	tle and ount of erlying trities r. 3 and		9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct (1 or Indire	Beneficial Ownershij (Instr. 4)

# **Reporting Owners**

		Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Vazquez Jamie L NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77046			President				

### **Signatures**

/s/ JAMIE L. VAZQUEZ	12/17/2009
**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) Includes indirect ownership of 1,654 shares held by spouse of Ms. Vasquez.

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