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 * Getten Thomas F				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) 12/15/2010							y/Year)	X_Off	VP, Gen	eral Counsel	Other (specify l & Asst Sec	pelow)		
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						_X_ Form	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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(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Ta	ble I	- Non	-Deri	vative	Securities	s Acq	uired, Dis	posed of, or	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execu	Execution Date,	te, if	if Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (I			Benefic Reporte	Reported Transaction(s) For			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Da any	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of a Of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Da and E			7. An Un Se (In 4)	Title and mount of nderlying ecurities nstr. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct (or Indire	Ownership (Instr. 4) D)	
					Code	V	(A)				Date	" Ti	tle Number of Shares	er			

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Getten Thomas F NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77046			VP, General Counsel & Asst Sec				

Signatures

/s/ Thomas F. Getten	12/20/2010	
**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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