FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BARRETT WILLIAM J							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DAWSON GEOPHYSICAL CO [DWSN]									Check	all app	o of Reportin blicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2016									X	Office below	er (give title		10% Owner Other (specify below)	
P O BOX 6199																					
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)																				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I								2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			, 4 and Sec Ber Owi		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(iiisti. 4)	
Dawson Geophysical Company-Common Stock \$0.01 par value)/2016			A		1,710	6	A	\$0		648,932			D	
Dawson Geophysical Company-Common Stock \$0.01 par value																59,249(1)			I	By spouse	
	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 Exercis Price of Derivative Security	on se	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transacti Code (Ins			n of		6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	n Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			Deriv Secu	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(: (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	vnership orm: rect (D) Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V		,	(A)				Expiration Date	Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		nber							

Explanation of Responses:

William J. Barrett

10/04/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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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 $^{1. \} Reporting \ Person \ disclaims \ beneficial \ ownership \ of \ common \ stock \ owned \ by \ spouse.$