FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FORSDICK KERMIT S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  DAWSON GEOPHYSICAL CO [ DWSN ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 508 WEST WALL SUITE 800				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2006										below)		Other ( below) President		specify		
(Street) MIDLANI	•			4. If	Ame	endmer	nt, Date o	of Original	Filed	l (Month/Da		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting								
(City)	(Sta	te) (2	Zip)												Person			·		
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deri	vative	e Se	curi	ties Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed	of, or Ben	efici	ally (	Owned					
		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ır)   E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			and 5) Securiti Benefic Owned		lly	6. Ownersh Form: Direc (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Direct Indirect I	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Dawson Geophysical-Common Stock				12/07	12/07/2006		12/07/2006		M		1,250	) A	\$7.4065		18,000		D			
Dawson Geophysical- Common Stock				12/07/2006			12/07/2006		S		1,250	) D	\$36.4798		16,750		D			
Dawson Geophysical- Common Stock			12/07	/07/2006		12/07/2006		M		2,500	) A	\$5.21		16,750			D			
Dawson Geophysical- Common Stock			12/07	7/2006		12/07/2006		S		2,500	) D	\$36.4798		14,250		D				
		-	Table II									f, or Benef ible secur			wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst 8)		on of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		•	7. Title and Amou Securities Underly Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		ing /	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Nur of	ımber						
Dawson Geophysical - Common stock	\$7.4065	12/07/2006	12/07/	2006	M			1,250	12/07/200	06	04/09/2007	Dawson Geophysical- Common Stock	1,	250	\$0	3		D		
Dawson Geophysical- Common Stock	\$5.21	12/07/2006	12/07/	2006	M			2,500	12/07/200	06 1	1/26/2007	Dawson Geophysical- Common Stock	2,!	500	\$0	3		D		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ K. S. Forsdick

12/07/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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