FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Thomas James W</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  DAWSON GEOPHYSICAL CO [ DWSN ]										ionship of Reportir all applicable) Director		10	% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 508 W. WALL SUITE 800					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/30/2018										X	belov			ner (specify ow) ficer
(Street)  MIDLAND TX 79701  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								. Indivi ine) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally (	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da				Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			nd	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownersh Form: Direc (D) or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect				
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Dawson Geophysical Company-Common Stock \$0.01 par value					/2018				A		15,000	0	A	\$7.0	095	64,690 <sup>(1)</sup>		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/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst 8)				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)				rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. On May 29, 2018, the Company paid a 5% stock dividend (or 0.05 share for each share outstanding) on the outstanding shares of common stock of the Company, par value \$0.01 per share. The amount of securities beneficially owned referenced within this Form 4 has been adjusted for the 5% stock dividend.

James W. Thomas

06/01/2018

\*\* 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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