

Tonnel David A
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Tonnel David A

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 4 GREENWAY PLAZA
 (Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77046

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Transocean Ltd. [RIG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/14/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP, Finance & Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				(A)	(D)				
Stock Options	\$ 59.3	02/14/2013	A	20,585		02/14/2014	02/14/2023 ⁽¹⁾	Registered Shares	20,585
Deferred Units	\$ 0 ⁽²⁾	02/14/2013	A	7,670		⁽²⁾	⁽²⁾	Registered Shares	7,670

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Tonnel David A 4 GREENWAY PLAZA HOUSTON, TX 77046			SVP, Finance & Controller	

Signatures

Ryan H. Tarkington, by Power of
Attorney 02/15/2013

__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) On February 14, 2013, the reporting person was awarded 20,585 stock options which vest as follows: 6,861 on February 14, 2014; 6,862 on February 14, 2015; and 6,862 on February 14, 2016.
 - (2) Deferred Units, which are 1-for-1 share equivalents, acquired on February 14, 2013, pursuant to the Issuer's long-term incentive plan and vest as follows: 2,556 on March 1, 2014; 2,557 on March 1, 2015; and 2557 on March 1, 2016.

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