

OVERSEAS SHIPHOLDING GROUP INC  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 RECANATI ARIEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 OVERSEAS SHIPHOLDING GROUP INC [OSG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 511 FIFTH AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/17/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Street)  
 NEW YORK, NY 10017

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|  |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount or Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006                           |  | S                              |   | 1,535 <sup>(1)</sup>  | D  | \$ 60 93,491 D                    |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006                           |  | S                              |   | 12 <sup>(1)</sup>   | D  | \$ 60.01 93,479 D                 |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00           | 07/17/2006                           |  | S                              |   | 7 <sup>(1)</sup>  | D  | \$ 60.04 93,472 D                 |

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|  |            |   |                  |   |          |         |              |     |
|--|------------|---|------------------|---|----------|---------|--------------|-----|
| per share                                |            |   |                  |   |          |         |              |     |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 3 <u>(1)</u>     | D | \$ 60.08 | 93,469  | D            |     |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 34 <u>(1)</u>    | D | \$ 60.1  | 93,435  | D            |     |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 58 <u>(1)</u>    | D | \$ 60.16 | 93,377  | D            |     |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 4,600 <u>(1)</u> | D | \$ 60    | 280,494 | I <u>(2)</u> | (2) |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 37 <u>(1)</u>    | D | \$ 60.01 | 280,457 | I <u>(2)</u> | (2) |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 18 <u>(1)</u>    | D | \$ 60.04 | 280,439 | I <u>(2)</u> | (2) |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 9 <u>(1)</u>     | D | \$ 60.08 | 280,430 | I <u>(2)</u> | (2) |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 101 <u>(1)</u>   | D | \$ 60.1  | 280,329 | I <u>(2)</u> | (2) |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/17/2006 | S | 175 <u>(1)</u>   | D | \$ 60.16 | 280,154 | I <u>(2)</u> | (2) |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/18/2006 | S | 221 <u>(1)</u>   | D | \$ 60    | 93,156  | D            |     |
| Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share | 07/18/2006 | S | 662 <u>(1)</u>   | D | \$ 60    | 279,492 | I <u>(2)</u> | (2) |

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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 (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                                      | Amount or Number of Shares   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| RECANATI ARIEL<br>511 FIFTH AVENUE<br>17TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/James I. Edelson, Attorney-in-Fact pursuant to a power of attorney previously filed 07/18/2006

\_\_\_\_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) Sold pursuant to a trading plan adopted pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- (2) The Reporting Person serves as co-trustee of a family trust which owns these shares and may, therefore, be deemed to indirectly own such shares.

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