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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Dienis George

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

OVERSEAS SHIPHOLDING **GROUP INC [OSG]**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

110 VOULIAGMENI AVENUE & ZAMANOU STREET, GLYFADA

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

below) COO of certain of issuers subs

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

ATHENS, J3 16674

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Common

per share

(Instr. 3)

Stock, par 01/18/2006 value \$1.00

1,274

Code V Amount

\$0

(D) Price

(A)

 $2,881^{(2)}$

D

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock (right to buy)	\$ 49.05	01/18/2006		A	3,445	(3)	01/18/2016	Common Stock	3,445

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dienis George 110 VOULIAGMENI AVENUE & ZAMANOU **STREET GLYFADA**

COO of certain of issuers subs

Signatures

ATHENS, J3 16674

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

01/20/2006

**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).
 - These shares of common stock were granted pursuant to the Overseas Shipholding Group, Inc. 2004 Stock Incentive Plan (the "2004"
- (1) Plan") and are subject to vesting restrictions. The reporting person becomes vested in one fourth of such shares on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant.
- All of the 2,881 shares of common stock, as disclosed in this filing and in the prior filing, are subject to vesting restrictions as of the filing date of this Form 4.
- The option to purchase 3,445 shares of common stock was granted pursuant to the 2004 Plan and will become exercisable as to one-third of such shares on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.

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