Katz Allen M Form 4 November 20, 2012

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Katz Allen M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Transocean Ltd. [RIG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
4 GREENWAY	Y PLAZA		(Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2012	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Interim SVP & GC			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Registered Shares	11/19/2012		A(1)	32,328	A	\$ 0 (1)	32,328	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)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	Amount Underly Securiti	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Katz Allen M 4 GREENWAY PLAZA HOUSTON, TX 77046

Interim SVP & GC

Signatures

/s/Jill S. Greene by Power of Attorney 11/20/2012

**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).

Deferred units under the Issuer's Long-Term Incentive Program which will vest in equal installments on November 19, 2013, November 19, 2014 and November 19, 2015. Fifty percent of the grant shall be deemed earned on November 17, 2012 for the employment period ending June 30, 2013, and the remaining fifty percent of the grant will remain subject to adjustment based proportionately on the length of Mr. Katz's employment between June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2013 and be subject to further conditions set forth in Mr. Katz's employment agreement dated November 17, 2012 and to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on Form 8-K on November 21, 2012.

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