Transocean Ltd. Form 4 February 16, 2016

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* THIGPEN JEREMY D

10 CHEMIN DE BLANDONNET

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Transocean Ltd. [RIG]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

02/11/2016

below)

President & CEO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

VERNIER, V8 1214

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3 and 4) 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	<b>Underlying Securities</b>
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, a) 5)	(D)			
				Code V	(A)	(D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Options	\$ 8.61	02/11/2016		A	233,957	<u>(1)</u>	02/11/2026	Registered Shares	233,95
Deferred Units	\$ 0	02/11/2016		A	137,147	(2)	(2)	Registered Shares	137,14

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
<b></b>	Director	Director 10% Owner Officer		Other		
THIGPEN JEREMY D 10 CHEMIN DE BLANDONNET	X		President & CEO			
VERNIER, V8 1214						

# **Signatures**

/s/ Daniel Ro-Trock By Power of Attorney 02/16/2016

\*\*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).
- On February 11, 2016, the reporting person was awarded 233,957 stock options which vest as follows: 77,986 on February 11, 2017; 77,986 on February 11, 2018; and 77,985 on February 11, 2019.
- (2) The Deferred Units were acquired on February 11, 2016, by the reporting person pursuant to the Issuer's long-term incentive plan, and vest as follows: 45,716 on March 1, 2017; 45,716 on March 1, 2018; and 45,715 on March 1, 2019.

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