

Briscoe John H
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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 *
Briscoe John H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Weatherford International Ltd./Switzerland [WFT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2000 ST. JAMES PLACE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/23/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP & CFO

HOUSTON, TX 77056

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Registered Shares | 03/23/2012 | | A | V Amount (D) \$ 0 (1) | 128,374 | 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. 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Performance Units | (2) | 03/23/2012 | | A | 33,073 | (2) (2) | Registered Shares | (2) |
| Performance Units | (3) | 03/23/2012 | | A | 33,073 | (3) (3) | Registered Shares | (3) |
| Performance Units | (4) | | | | | (4) (4) | Registered Shares | (4) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Briscoe John H 2000 ST. JAMES PLACE HOUSTON, TX 77056 | | | Senior VP & CFO | |

Signatures

Joseph C. Henry, by Power of Attorney
03/26/2012

__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).
- (1) Transaction was a grant of restricted share units and therefore has no price. Units vest in equal increments on each of March 23, 2013, 2014 and 2015.
Each performance unit represents a contingent right to receive 0 to 2.25 shares. The conversion ratio (0, .5, 1.25 or 2.25) ultimately applied to these performance units will be determined based on the company achieving a total shareholder return relative to a specified peer group over the performance period (fiscal years 2012-2014). The units are scheduled to vest on January 1, 2015.
- (3) Each performance unit represents a contingent right to receive 0 to 2 shares. The conversion ratio ultimately applied to these performance units will be determined based on the absolute increase in the issuer's share price over the performance period (fiscal years 2012-2014). The units are scheduled to vest on January 1, 2015.
- (4) Each performance unit represents a contingent right to receive 0 to 2.25 registered shares depending on relative shareholder return over the relevant performance period. Units are scheduled to vest on January 1, 2014.

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