NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO INC

Form 4

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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 ** WILLIAMS CLAY C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO INC [NOV]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
7909 PARKWOOD CIRCLE DRIVE			02/24/2016	below) below) Chairman, President and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
HOUSTON,	TX 77036		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	ally 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. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/24/2016		Code V A	Amount 17,809 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 115,521	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2016		F	5,546 (2)	D	\$ 28.24	109,975	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2016		A	79,674 (3)	A	\$ 0	189,649	D	
Common Stock							30,000	I	by Children's Trusts
							41 (4)	I	

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Common by NOV Stock Saving Plan

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	D)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nui Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.24	02/24/2016		A	697,674	<u>(5)</u>	02/25/2026	Common Stock	69

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
rioporting of the result of results	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WILLIAMS CLAY C 7909 PARKWOOD CIRCLE DRIVE HOUSTON, TX 77036	X		Chairman, President and CEO				

Signatures

By: Brigitte M. Hunt For: Clay C.
Williams
02/25/2016

**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).
- (1) Represents the total number of shares that vested from the performance share awards granted to Mr. Williams on March 22, 2013.
- (2) Represents the number of shares withheld from the vesting of the performance share awards granted to Mr. Williams on March 22, 2013 to satisfy tax withholding liability.
- (3) An equity award of time-based restricted stock pursuant to the Issuer's Long-Term Incentive Plan, which will vest in three equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of the grant.

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- (4) Represents the number of shares equivalent of the Issuer's common stock held by Mr. Williams under the National Oilwell Varco, Inc. Supplemental Savings Plan. The information in this report is based on Mr. Williams' account balance as of February 24, 2016.
- The option, awarded pursuant to the Issuer's Long-Term Incentive Plan, representing a right to purchase a total of 697,674 shares, will become exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on February 24, 2017, which will be the first anniversary of the date on which the option was granted.

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