**NOBLE CORP** Form 4 February 01, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* EDWARDS JULIE H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

NOBLE CORP [NE] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/31/2007

X\_ Director 10% Owner

13135 SOUTH DAIRY ASHFORD, SUITE 800

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Officer (give title

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

SUGAR LAND, TX 77478

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 3. Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

**Ordinary** Shares

01/31/2007

Code V Amount 190

Α

(D)

78.62

4,313

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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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EDWARDS JULIE H

13135 SOUTH DAIRY ASHFORD
SUITE 800

SUGAR LAND, TX 77478

# **Signatures**

/s/ Julie H. 02/01/2007 Edwards

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **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).

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