## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nelson S James				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol W&T OFFSHORE INC [WTI]							mbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2019							y/Year)	Office	r (give title belo	w)	Other (specify b	pelow)	
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							h/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					
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(City	r)	(State)	(Zip)			Ta	ble I	- Non	-Deri	vative	Securities	Acqu	uired, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Exec any		f Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqui (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D	Beneficia Reported	nt of Securities Ily Owned Following Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial		
				(Mor	nth/Day/	Year)		ode	V	Amou	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	nd 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		05/01/2019				1	A		11,59	0 A	\$ 0	164,344			D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	1111	Execution Day Year) any	te, if 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)		An Un Sec	Fitle and nount of derlying curities str. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
													Amount				

#### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Nelson S James NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77046	X					

### **Signatures**

/s/ Shahid Ghauri, as attorney-in-fact	05/03/2019
**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) Restricted Stock Grant pursuant to the W&T Offshore, Inc.'s 2004 Directors Compensation Plan. The award will vest 1/3 on May 1, 2020, 1/3 on May 1, 2021 and 1/3 on May 1, 2022.

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