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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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SIMMONS L E				Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES INC</u> <u>A</u> [ HOS ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title X Other (specify below) Member of Group							
					Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) /24/2005														
(Street) HOUSTON TX 77002					If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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Common	Stock			08/24	4/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		7,000	000 D \$		\$31	31.37 4		)46,208	I		By SCF- IV, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>	
			(	e.g., pı	uts, cal	ls, v	ties Acqu warrants,	option	s, co	onvertib	le s	ecuri	ties)	-					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactic Code (Ins 8)	on tr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date						9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Reflects sale of common stock of issuer held by SCF-IV, L.P.

2. The reporting person is sole stockholder and sole director of LE. Simmons & Associates, Incorporated, a Delaware corporation (LESA), which is the sole general partner of SCF-IV GP Limited Partnership, a Delaware limited partnership (SCF-IV GP), SCF-IV 31 LP, a Delaware limited partnership (SCF-IV Management Partners LP, a Delaware limited partnership (SCF-IV MP). Additionally, SCF-IV GP is the sole general partner of SCF-IV LP, a Delaware limited partnership (SCF-IV). Based on the reporting person's affiliation with SCF-IV, SCF-IV GP, SCF-IV MP). Additionally, SCF-IV GP is the sole general partner of SCF-IV LP, a Delaware limited partnership (SCF-IV). Based on the reporting person's affiliation with SCF-IV, SCF-IV GP, SCF-IV MP, and LESA (collectively the "Related Entities"), the reporting person may be deemed to beneficially own all of the shares of common stock of the Issuer beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by the Related Entities. Remarks:

L.E. Simmons is signing for himself, as the designated filer, as well as in his capacity as attorney-in-fact for LESA, SCF-IV GP, and SCF-IV.

### L.E. Simmons

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

08/26/2005

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $\ast$  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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