MONSON ROBERT D

Form 4

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MONSON ROBERT D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

SEITEL INC [SELA]

(Check all applicable)

10811 SOUTH WESTVIEW

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

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

below)

10% Owner Other (specify

(Middle)

02/14/2007

CEO and President

CIRCLE. BUILDING C SUITE 100 (Street)

(First)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77043

(City) (State) (Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

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

1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

7. Nature of Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or Amount (D)

1.531.319

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

Common Stock, par

value \$.01

Code V

D

0 (1)

Price

D

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
						2.1010154010	2410		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MONSON ROBERT D 10811 SOUTH WESTVIEW CIRCLE BUILDING C SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77043	X		CEO and President				

Signatures

/s/ Robert D. Monson by /s/ Marcia H.

Kendrick

02/16/2007

**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).

These shares of common stock include 923,223 shares of unvested restricted common stock which were vested in the merger. All shares were converted in the merger into (i) the right to receive a cash payment of \$5,231,714.90, representing 1,413,977 shares of stock multiplied by \$3.70, the consideration for shares of Seitel's common stock in the merger, and (ii) 1,108 shares of the common stock of Seitel Holdings, Inc., in exchange for 117,342 of the shares of common stock not converted into cash.

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