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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addr Reid Taylor L	ess of Reportin	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Oasis Petroleum Inc. [OAS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
1001 FANNIN ST, STE 1500			(Month/Day/Year) 08/23/2012	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive VP and COO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
HOUSTON, T	X 77002			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - No	on-D	erivative So	ecuriti	es Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) onor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/23/2012		G	V	10,000	D	\$ 0	1,385,028	D	
Common Stock	09/06/2012		S		100,000	D	\$ 30.76 (1) (2)	1,285,028	D	
Common Stock								600,000	I	By West Bay Partners, Ltd. (3)

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	it of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips							
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Reid Taylor L 1001 FANNIN ST, STE 1500 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		Executive VP and COO					

Signatures

/s/ Nickolas J. Lorentzatos, as attorney-in-fact 09/07/2012

**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 weighted average price of open market same day purchases. Sales of shares took place at actual prices ranging from \$30.37 to \$31.07 per share.
- (2) Full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, Oasis Petroleum Inc. or an Oasis Petroleum Inc. shareholder.
- A limited partnership formed for family investment purposes. The sole general partner of West Bay, a Texas limited liability company, is controlled by the reporting person and his wife, and the limited partners of West Bay consist of the reporting person, his immediate family members and trusts formed for their benefit.

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