# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> SELIG ALLAN H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OIL DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA		tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer « all applicable) Director 10% Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)	
	<b>、</b> ,	ONER OF MLB	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2005				
777 EAST WIS	CONSIN AVE	NUE, SUITE 2010					
(Street) MILWAUKEE	WI	53202	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Fili Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person	porting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		1			

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)		
Common Stock	12/08/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		1,600	A	\$14.625	5,600	D			
Common Stock	12/08/2005		S		800	D	\$ <mark>18</mark>	4,800	D			
Common Stock	12/08/2005		S		700	D	\$18.01	4,100	D			
Common Stock	12/08/2005		S		100	D	\$18.02	4,000	D			
Common Stock	12/09/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		2,000	A	\$14.625	6,000	D			
Common Stock	12/09/2005		S		200	D	\$18	5,800	D			
Common Stock	12/09/2005		S		500	D	\$18.05	5,300	D			
Common Stock	12/09/2005		S		200	D	\$18.06	5,100	D			
Common Stock	12/09/2005		S		1,100	D	\$18.1	4,000	D			

### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$14.625	12/08/2005		<b>M</b> <sup>(1)</sup>			1,600	06/09/2000	06/09/2008	Common Stock	1,600	\$0	8,400	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$14.625	12/09/2005		<b>M</b> <sup>(1)</sup>			2,000	06/09/2000	06/09/2008	Common Stock	2,000	\$0	6,400	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Exercise of director stock options pursuant to the Oil-Dri Corporation of America Outside Director Stock Plan in a transaction exempt under rule 16b-3.

Maryon Gray by Power of <u>Attorney</u>

12/12/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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