ODYSSEY MARINE EXPLORATION INC

Form 4 January 06, 2015

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

EXPLORATION INC [OMEX]

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Nudi Jay

(Last) (First)

5215 WEST LAUREL STREET

(Street)

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2015

Symbol

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

ODYSSEY MARINE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

Treasurer/PAO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

TAMPA, FL 33607

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if

Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (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 Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amoun Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Securiti Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	(Acquired (ADisposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)				
				Code '	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Share
Restricted Stock Unit (RSU)	(1)	01/02/2015		A		32,400		(2)	12/20/2017	Common Stock	32,4
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.04	01/02/2015		A		113,000		(3)	12/31/2024	Common Stock	113,
Performance Restricted Stock Units (PRSU)	<u>(1)</u>	01/02/2015		A		3,600		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	3,6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				

Nudi Jay

5215 WEST LAUREL STREET Treasurer/PAO

TAMPA, FL 33607

Signatures

/s/ Jay A Nudi 01/06/2015

**Signature of 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) RSU and PRSU represent a contingent right to receive one share of OMEX common stock.
- (2) RSU vest in three equal annual installments on December 20, 2015, 2016 and 2017.
- (3) Stock Options vest in one-third of the options granted on December 31, 2015 and 1/36th of the options granted monthly thereafter until December 31, 2017.
- (4) Each PRSU vests upon achievement of annual performance criteria for the period ending December 31, 2015 in one-third of the units granted on each of December 20, 2015, 2016 and 2017.
- (5) The PRSU expire on December 20, 2017, but will terminate on December 15, 2015, if the performance criteria are not met.

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