

BATKIN ALAN R
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BATKIN ALAN R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
OVERSEAS SHIPHOLDING GROUP INC [OSG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 399 PARK AVENUE, 10TH FLOOR
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 06/29/2012

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Fmr. director - ret. 6/14/2012

NEW YORK, NY 10022

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	06/29/2012		J ⁽¹⁾	A	15,378 ₍₁₎	17,254	D
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	06/29/2012		J ⁽²⁾	A	7,853 ₍₂₎	25,107	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BATKIN ALAN R 399 PARK AVENUE 10TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022				Fmr. director - ret. 6/14/2012

Signatures

/s/James I. Edelson, Attorney-in-Fact pursuant to a power of attorney previously filed 07/03/2012

__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).
- On June 14, 2012, the Reporting Person retired as a director of the Issuer and on June 29, 2012 the Issuer issued the Reporting Person
- (1) these 15,378 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer pursuant to the Issuer's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended and restated as of June 14, 2012, upon conversion of an equal number of previously issued restricted stock units.
 - (2) These shares were acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's Non-Employee Director Deferred Compensation Plan in connection with the Reporting Person's retirement as a director and relate to deferred director fees outstanding on December 31, 2011.

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