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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Beers Kent O | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|--|----------|----------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | Oasis Petroleum Inc. [OAS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| 1001 FANNIN ST, STE 1500 | | | (Month/Day/Year) 12/22/2010 | Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (special below) Senior VP Land | | | |
| | (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, TX 77002 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (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. Transa Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) onor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/16/2010 | | G | V | 12,800 | D | \$ 0 | 1,231,926 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 12/22/2010 | | G | V | 100 | D | \$ 0 | 1,231,826 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 12/22/2010 | | S | | 24,800 | D | \$ 28.2212 (1) (2) | 1,207,026 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 12/22/2010 | | S | | 200 | D | \$ 29.1 | 1,206,826 | 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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. | 5. onNumber | 6. Date Exerc Expiration D | | 7. Titl | | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu Deriv |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|------------------------|---|
| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Tear) | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | of | (Month/Day/ | | Under Securi | rlying | Security (Instr. 5) | Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | 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

Beers Kent O

1001 FANNIN ST, STE 1500 Senior VP Land HOUSTON, TX 77002

Signatures

/s/ Nickolas J. Lorentzatos, as attorney-in-fact 12/23/2010

**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 \$27.89 to \$28.70 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.

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