#### **W&T OFFSHORE INC**

Form 4

December 26, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* KROHN TRACY W

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zin)

W&T OFFSHORE INC [WTI]

(Check all applicable)

NINE GREENWAY PLAZA,

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

\_X\_\_ Director X\_ Officer (give title below)

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner Other (specify

12/21/2012

Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

SUITE 300

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77046

(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non	-De	rivative Se	curiti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benefic	ially 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. Securition(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK	12/21/2012		G	V	10,352	D	\$0	39,562,545	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/21/2012		G	V	10,352	A	\$0	249,273	I	By the Krohn 2008 Irrevocable

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

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Trust (1)

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

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<b>Fg</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KROHN TRACY W NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77046	X	X	Chairman & CEO				

## **Signatures**

/s/ By Thomas F. Getten, attorney-in-fact for Tracy W. 12/26/2012 Krohn

> \*\*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).
- These shares are held in the Krohn 2008 Irrevocable Trust, the beneficiaries of which are the reporting person's children. The reporting (1) person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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