#### ION GEOPHYSICAL CORP

Form 4

October 27, 2016

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAPEYRE JAMES M JR			S	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ION GEOPHYSICAL CORP [IO]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
	(Last) 2105 CITY BOULEVA	, ,	(1		f Earliest 7 Day/Year) 016	Fransaction	ı		_X_ Director Officer (giv	10	0% Owner ther (specify	
	HOUSTON	(Street) N, TX 77042-2853	F		endment, D nth/Day/Yea	_	al		6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person	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)		ate, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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	10/25/2016			P(1)	2,200	A	\$ 6.4614 (2)	880,909	I	Shares held by Laitram, LLC	
	Common Stock								157,773	D		
	Common Stock								699	I	Co-Trustee for Children	
	Common Stock								32,850	I	Joint account with adult	

child (K)

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Common Stock	32,850	I	account with adult child (J)
Common Stock	33,702	I	Joint account with adult child (S)

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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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	<b>.</b>	ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans
				of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

attorney-in-fact

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Toporomg o whor runney raunces	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LAPEYRE JAMES M JR 2105 CITYWEST BOULEVARD SUITE 100 HOUSTON, TX 77042-2855	X						
Signatures							
Rebecca F. Sacco,	10/2	7/2016					

10/27/2016

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* 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) Open market purchase pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person, in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$6.30 to \$6.50, inclusive. The price set forth above reflects the weighted-average price per share. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.

#### **Remarks:**

The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities shown as indirectly owned by him.

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