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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION								OMB APPROVAL			
	STATES SE	SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE C Washington, D.C. 20549					COMMISSION	OMB Number:	3235-0287		
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(Print or Type R	Responses)										
1. Name and A LEA W REI	Syı	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol W&T OFFSHORE INC [WTI]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (N		3. Date of Earliest Transaction				1	(Check all applicable)			
C/O W&T (	OFFSHORE, INC Y PLAZA, SUIT	(M C., NINE 03	onth/Day /07/200	y/Year)	ansaction			Director X Officer (give below) Execution		Owner er (specify ent	
			. If Amendment, Date Original iled(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
HOUSTON	, TX 77046							Form filed by M Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Da any (Month/Day/	n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
			,	Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	03/07/2008			А	5,495 (1)	А	\$0	146,469	D		
Common Stock	03/07/2008			S	5,495	D	\$ 32.29 (2)	140,974	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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Tit Amou Unde Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEA W REID C/O W&T OFFSHORE, INC. NINE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77046			Executive Vice President				

### Signatures

/s/ Elaine H. Tippitt, Attorney-in-fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

03/10/2008 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) This grant of restricted common stock was made pursuant to the Company's Long Term Incentive Compensation Plan, as amended.

(2) Average price of common stock sold in multiple transactions on same date.

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