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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Holsinger W Preston

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

HALLIBURTON CO [HAL]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/14/2004

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) Vice President and Treasurer

1401 MCKINNEY STREET, SUITE 2400

(Street)

(State)

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77010

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) or Code V Amount (D)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common 12/14/2004 Stock

D 130⁽¹⁾ D

24,110

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. or Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 38.61					12/02/2004	12/02/2014	Common Stock	3,000	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 29.56					12/04/1996	12/04/2006	Common Stock	4,500	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 54.5					12/03/1997	12/03/2007	Common Stock	3,900	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 28.125					12/02/1998	12/02/2008	Common Stock	6,000	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 39.5					12/02/1999	12/02/2009	Common Stock	6,300	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 39.55					02/23/2001	02/23/2011	Common Stock	6,300	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 31.55					07/19/2001	07/19/2011	Common Stock	5,175	
Option to Buy Common Stock	\$ 9.1					07/23/2002	07/23/2012	Common Stock	5,000	

Option to

Stock

Buy Common \$ 28.86

03/16/2004 03/16/2014

Common Stock

3,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Holsinger W Preston 1401 MCKINNEY STREET SUITE 2400

Vice President and Treasurer

HOUSTON, TX 77010 **Signatures**

Michael A. Weberpal, by Power of Attorney

12/14/2004

**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).

Shares transferred to Halliburton Company for payment for Federal Income Tax withholding obligations on lapse of restrictions on shares (1) issued under the 1993 Stock and Incentive Plan. Said Plan permits Reporting Person to satisfy withholding tax obligation by transferring unrestricted shares to the Issuer.

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