

ION GEOPHYSICAL CORP

Form 5

February 12, 2016

FORM 5**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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1(b).Form 3 Holdings
Reported

Form 4

Transactions

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**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL
OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
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response... 1.01. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HULME COLIN

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2105 CITYWEST
BOULEVARD, SUITE 400

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77042

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ION GEOPHYSICAL CORP [IO]3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended
(Month/Day/Year)
12/31/20154. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed (Month/Day/Year)5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

EVP, Ocean Bottom Services

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

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Person**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â Â Â Amount (D) Price	5,170 (1) (2)	D	Â

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(9-02)**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D S B O E I F (I
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HULME COLIN 2105 CITYWEST BOULEVARD SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77042	Â	Â	Â EVP, Ocean Bottom Services	Â

Signatures

Rebecca F. Sacco,
attorney-in-fact

02/12/2016

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) Includes 33 shares acquired under the ION Employee Stock Purchase Plan, as adjusted for the one-for-fifteen reverse split that took effect on February 5, 2016.

(2) Effective as of February 5, 2016, ION's common stock was reduced on a one-for-fifteen basis pursuant to the issuer's reverse stock split. Accordingly, all shares reported in this report reflect the effect of the one-for-fifteen reverse stock split.

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