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FORM 4
(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public
Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the
Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROWSEY PAUL E III <small>(Last) (First) (Middle)</small> 500 N. AKARD STREET, SUITE 4300 <small>(Street)</small> DALLAS, TX 75201-3331 <small>(City) (State) (Zip)</small>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ENSCO INTERNATIONAL INC [ESV]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director _____ 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) <p align="center">5/12/2008</p>		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	5/12/2008		M		2400	A	\$29.18	17899	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		S		2400	D	\$67.85	15499	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		M		1400	A	\$29.18	16899	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		S		1400	D	\$67.84	15499	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		M		100	A	\$29.18	15599	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		S		100	D	\$67.87	15499	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		M		100	A	\$29.18	15599	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		S		100	D	\$67.82	15499	D	
Common Stock	5/12/2008		A		2000	(I)	A \$29.18	17499	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non-employee Director Stock	\$29.18	5/12/2008		M		6000	5/13/2004	5/13/2008	Common	6000	\$0	0	D	

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				Code	V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Option (Right to Buy)							(2)		Stock					

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The reporting person exercised a total of 6,000 options and sold 4,000 shares associated therewith. The remaining 2,000 shares were acquired and held for future disposition.
- (2) The Non-employee Director Stock Options are fully vested at time of grant.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROWSEY PAUL E III 500 N. AKARD STREET SUITE 4300 DALLAS, TX 75201-3331	X			

Signatures

/s/ Robert O. Isaac, by Power of Attorney

5/14/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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